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TRUMAN PROCLAIMS VICTORY IN EUROPE, ADVISES JAPS TO QUIT

Citizens Shift Attention From Europe to Pacific on V-E Day

The street reporter this morning picked up the following reactions from citizens on the V-E Day news:

Rev. F. W. Heumann: "I'm glad it's over but I can't understand why the Germans didn't surrender long ago for they must have known they were beaten. That would have saved many lives. Now, we've got a battle ahead of us in the Pacific."

Bert Shephard: "The first flash Monday morning got me all excited, but as the day wore on, got to take it easy. Perhaps the reason why the official notice was delayed was just for that purpose—to let us all calm down."

Mrs. A. T. F. Butt: "It was wonderful news especially for us mothers who have sons in the European theatre who may have been saved by even a day's earlier ending of part of the war. I can't find it in my heart to celebrate for there are so many whose hearts are sad at the loss of their sons."

Herb Baker, Fletcher-st. was on Second-av when the whistles and bells sounded out. "Now if the war in the Pacific only were along with this I'd be happy" he said.

"I'm glad it's over in Europe," said **Mrs. Stella M. Kowalski,** who was shopping when she heard that Germany surrendered. "I lost one son S-Sgt. Leo, who was killed in action Dec. 25 in Belgium but hope and pray that my other sons and every other American soldier returns safely." A widow, Mrs. Kowalski, who resides at 208 Avery, has four other sons in service, Pfc. Edward in Italy, Sgt. Louis, Sgt. John and Pvt. Eugene in the Pacific area.

Mrs. A. P. Garant, who with her husband resides at 308 Miller, said: "I couldn't feel any better but I still can't rejoice because I have a son fighting the Japs. I am pleased but can't see how so many people can celebrate when we still have the war in the Pacific." The Garants have four sons and a daughter in service and another son who passed his pre-induction exam recently. Pfc. James has been wounded twice and is now in Germany. S-Sgt. Edgar, France; Pfc. Evelyn, Italy; Pfc. Richard Pacific area, and Robert, who left Monday for induction.

Henry "Bud" Held: "It's a victory but won at terrible cost."

Frank Petrarca a coast guard: "If only it had come sooner for we can't forget the lives that V-E Day has taken. Now we've got to finish the job."

Carl Gavornik, phm 1-c: "The most glorious day in our history and we should give thanks that this much has been done. But we have work yet to do."

Roger Pasik aged 10: "You bet I'm glad it's over. I have three"

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Another Year Of War Seen Against Japs

By United Press

Allied fighting forces in the Pacific pressed unremitting warfare against the Japanese today with no time out for celebrating the end of the war in Europe.

Military authorities predicted that, even with reinforcements from the European theater, it would require another year to beat the Japanese on the mainland. They conceded, however, that Japan might surrender sooner.

The war as usual brought new allied blows in the land campaigns on Okinawa, the Philippines and Tarakan and another B-29 assault on Kyushu's suicide plane bases.

MARINES LED A general advance on southern Okinawa, to drive within a mile of Naha, the capital. Troops of the 77th division drove near Shuri, the island's second largest city, northeast of Naha. The seventh infantry division made small gains down the east coast above Yonabaru.

Australian and Dutch troops were poised for a drive into the port Wonerman oil fields east of Tarakan town on Tarakan island off the east coast of Borneo.

ADMIRAL NIMITZ disclosed that navy patrol planes sank or damaged 12 more enemy vessels off Korea and Japan to bring a three-day toll of enemy ships in that area to at least 32.

Carrier planes made another neutralizing attack on airfields in the Sakishima group, south of Okinawa.

American troops on Mindanao had reached Maramag airfield, 45 miles north of Kabacan, Sunday.

Other American troops advanced within a half mile of Balete pass leading to Cagayan valley in northern Luzon.

Allied Troops to Arrive in Norway To Disarm Germans

LONDON—Crown Prince Olav, commander in chief of Norwegian forces, disclosed today that allied troops will be sent to Norway to disarm the capitulated force of 350,000 Germans there.

Olav, in a broadcast to Norway, called for calm and urged his countrymen not to take matters in their own hands in punishing traitors and Germans.

Even though the Germans have capitulated that does not end the state of war," he said, "until all enemy forces have been disarmed the determining factor will be the military operations which must be undertaken in order to carry out terms of the capitulation."

The crown prince said he had put Norwegian air, land, and naval units in Britain and Sweden at the disposal of the supreme allied command to help allied forces in disarming the Germans.

An earlier broadcast notified the German high command that two planes would carry allied plenipotentiaries to Norway today to accept the German surrender.

Slayer of Husband Receives Life Term

DETROIT—Mrs. Nina Housden, 33-year old former nurse, today began a life sentence for the murder of her husband, Charles Mrs. Housden was charged with smoothing clothes, following an alleged argument over his attentions to other women and dismembering his body.

Alpena's Joy Is Tempered With Sadness

BY FRANCES GARVEY

On a sunny day in November, 1918, news of the armistice with Germany came to Alpena and the nation and pandemonium broke loose here as elsewhere.

Whistles blew, bells rang, schools closed and joy reigned supreme. Citizens cast dignity to the winds and crowds mulled on the streets employing every possible noise-maker in the hectic demonstration that knew no bounds.

The war was over.

True, it was a premature celebration for that was Nov. 7 and the official notice of the armistice did not come until Nov. 11. Again Alpena celebrated with an organized program, processions and all, but the zest was absent. The city had expended itself, but still it was joyous, not a sober note in the gala celebration.

TODAY, ALPENA observed another peace proclamation—V-E Day, marking the surrender of the Nazi powers to the allies.

Today, there was joy but it was tempered with sadness. A note of solemnity marked the day. No wild celebrations. The official announcement had been anticipated and business places were ready to close at 9, some not even opening their doors. Streets were nearly deserted. A few citizens were out on business, but a celebrating crowd was absent. Flags were in flown from business places and homes.

WHISTLES BLEW, church bells rang, and from Alpena High school came a parade of students to the Mailtz where an appropriate program was held. Even that parade of students was not a gay parade—many of those students had brothers in service—some had lost brothers—and the gay banter of youth was absent.

Two youthful auto drivers could not confine their exuberance and dashed along Second-av horns tooting—the only note of celebration on the morning air.

Parochial schools closed and students attended mass in their respective Catholic churches where prayers were recited for those in service and for an end of the global war now half-way finished.

Elementary schools also held appropriate programs in their classrooms and then regular classes proceeded.

LABOR PAUSED in manufacturing plants, in the quarries and aboard freighters in silent pray.

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Cpl. Haselhuhn Killed in Action

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haselhuhn, 405 S. First, Rogers City, have received word that their son, Cpl Elmer J. Haselhuhn, 31, was killed Apr. 26 in action in Germany. He was with the 71st army and had been 18 months in the service, entering following his graduation from Rogers City high school. He went overseas early in February 1945.

Besides his parents he is survived by a brother, Henry Haselhuhn, jr., 1108 Merchant, Alpena.

No. 1 O.O.F. gift party tonight because of V-E Day. (37)

V.F.W. AUX. MEETING POSTPONED

In accordance with V-E proclamation initiation and meeting will be held Tues., May 15.

Winifred Boynton, Sec.

Reg. meeting Thursday, May 10 8 o'clock Refreshments (39)

SGT. EUGENE ORLOWSKI

PFC. ARTHUR SCHEPKE

ON WOUNDED LIST—Sgt. Eugene Orlowski, son of the Adam Orlowskis, 309 Long Lake, was slightly wounded Apr. 19 in Germany. Pfc. Arthur Schepke, son of Mrs. Ida Schepke, 116 Prentiss, is recovering in a hospital in the Philippines from injuries. He said in a letter that his condition was not serious. He entered service in Oct. 1941.

63 Alpena Servicemen Have Given Their Lives in This War

Victory in Europe and military operations against Japan have cost the lives of 63 Alpena county servicemen.

Three Alpena men are listed as missing, 13 are prisoners and the number of wounded and injured is near the 100 mark. It is presumed that most of the men listed as prisoners have been liberated by the allied victory in Europe.

Only Alpena county men or those who married present residents of Alpena are included on the list. Corrected or additions to the list are welcomed.

Following is the list which includes all those reported to The News up to 6 p.m. yesterday:

DEAD

CHESTER NOWAK
FREDERICK SCHIEFFLER
EDMUND LaCROSS
JOHN LISKE
CLARENCE TIMMRECK
RALPH B. HENNING
BERNARD NOWICKI
CHESTER COLE
CLARENCE FARRAR
HARRY KONLEY
STANLEY FRADETTE
ALCIDE BLEAU
LEE STRZELECKI
MAURICE BROUSSEAU
FRANK PETROSKI
RAY HAMMER
ADOLPH PAUL
JOHN S. KING
GEORGE EMICK
FRANK JACQUES
LAWRENCE BRILINSKI
FRANK T. LaPINE
HOWARD FLEWELLING
ERNEST KLEMENS
ERNEST SCHAD
HENRY CRAWFORD
THEOPHIL KOWALSKI
HOWARD FRENCH
FRANK MANNING
FRED GOHL
PHILIP DENTON
CLARENCE EDMONDS
BURTON SMITH
WARREN DeLAVAL
HENRY JENSEN
DAVID SMIGELSKI
EDWARD BIZANZ
GEORGE BRILINSKI
JOSEPH RODRIGUEZ
ROBERT LEE
LEONARD BROUSSEAU
CLAUDE F. FINSTERMAN
JAMES JACOBS
ORVILLE MILLER
NORMAN F. PREVOST
WILLIAM ARTHUR SMART
LEO KOWALSKI
ROBERT KOLNOWSKI
RALPH GOHL
HAROLD MOUSSEAU
LEONARD BESKY
JOHN ALBRIGHT
RAY GRUBBA
DONALD H./NSEN
PATRICK ONEIL
JOHN DALECKI
LAWRENCE LEE
HOWARD NEVINS
HARRY BROUSSEAU
CLIFFORD GRIFFIN
EDMUND LAFELDT
ROBERT J. VAN DUSEN

MISSING

ERWIN H. MITCHELL
WILLIAM DOANE
JACK ZOLNIEREK

PRISONERS

GEORGE NELSON-JR
JOHN WILLIAMS
ROBERT SILVER
LLOYD CALCUT
KLMER MILOSTAN
DONALD KELLE!!
DONALD COCHRANE
HERBERT LACROSS
WALTER WOJCIECHOWSKI
LOID GAGNON
IVAN HIBNER
RAYMOND PUTKAMER
ERWIN MILLER

WOUNDED OR INJURED

DOMINIC WOLOSZYK
FREDERICK CONNELL (twice)
ROY LUDLOW
MICHAEL TROPEY (twice)
LLOYD LaCROSS
THOMAS KLEMENS
VEAN POTVIN
RALPH WILSON
THEODORE SMOLINSKI
HENRY IRVIN LESKE
EDWIN H. FUHRMAN
ROBERT E. EWING
ALVIN CHRISTOPHERSON
ROY BOYNTON
ALFRED BAUMGART
WALTER SMITH
CHESTER MISCHLEY
ROBERT J. FOURNIER
LEONARD CHRZANOWSKI
BURTON DEKETTE
EDWARD HABITZ
MARK TWITE
HARRY MacARTHUR (twice)
CHARLES DEMLOW
CARL KINDT
FRANK SMOLINSKI
JOHN LUTES
PATRICK GALLAGHER
EUGENE McDONALD
WILLIAM ASH (twice)
JOHN HAKEN
CHARLES SNYDER
GEORGE BYERS
CLEMENT WITKOWSKI
DON S. EMERSON
GERALD GRAHAM
THOMAS BENSON
DONALD WELCH
ED KOWALSKI (twice)
NORBERT MISIAK (twice)
JOHN HAYES (twice)
WALTER COLBY
ANTHONY GATZKE
AUSTIN BROUSSEAU
BOB ST. ONGE
DON SAMP
STEVE PAUL
TOM HAGEN
DON BROUSSEAU
JAMES GARANT (twice)
DONALD MORRISON
JOSEPH GEORGE BEAUDOIN
HENRY A. HARTMAN
ROBERT KOWALSKI
LORNE SCHULTZ
FRANCIS ARNTFIELD
EUGENE BAUMGART
ROBERT SWALLOW
MARVIN GROMINSKY
NEIL CAMPBELL
DONALD FRENCH
FRANK LESTER FRENCH
THEODORE SCHULTZ
ARTHUR WAGNER
ERNEST OLSEN
MICHAEL ADAMSKI
EARL BAUMGART

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Calls For Work, Work, Work; Sunday to Be Day of Prayer

WASHINGTON—President Truman today proclaimed victory in Europe but told the nation its fighting job would be finished only "when the last Japanese division has surrendered unconditionally."

"Work, work, work."

He gave this advice to the Japanese Surrender.

Surrounded by his government leaders, Mr. Truman issued his proclamation of victory and his statement of the work yet to do at a historic news conference in the White House. Then he broadcast them to the nation.

OUTSIDE, WHILE the president spoke, a chill rain fell.

"This," the President said, "is a solemn but glorious hour."

He voiced the thought of millions by adding:

"How I wish Franklin Roosevelt had lived to see this day."

The President reminded the nation in its flush victory that it had not been fighting alone. And he proclaimed Sunday, May 13, a day of prayer.

"I call upon all the people of the United States, whatever their faith, to unite in offering joyful thanks to God for the victory we have won and to pray that He will support us to the end of our present struggle and guide us into the way of peace.

"I also call upon my countrymen to dedicate this day of prayer to the memory of those who have given their lives to make possible our victory."

THE PRESIDENT SENT his congratulations and thanks to Prime Minister Churchill, Premier Stalin and Gen. Charles De Gaulle.

To Gen. Eisenhower he said:

"All of us owe to you and to your men of many nations a debt beyond measure for their high courage in the conquest of Nazism."

Mr. Truman counted the cost of victory. He did not forget "the terrible price we have paid to rid the world of Hitler and his evil band."

But he also sounded a note of triumph and hope.

United, the peace-loving nations," he said "have demonstrated in the west that their arms are stronger by far than the might of dictators or the tyranny of military cliques that once called us soft and weak.

"The power of our peoples to defend themselves against all enemies will be proved in the Pacific war as it has been proved in Europe."

AND WITH VICTORY, the president said, "we must work to bind up the wounds of a suffering world—to build an abiding peace, a peace rooted in justice and in law."

For the Japanese, he said, the choice is between unconditional surrender and "utter destruction" to Japan's industrial war production, to its shipping, and to everything that supports its military activity."

He gave Japan this promise, this invitation to survival:

"Unconditional surrender does not mean the extermination or enslavement of the Japanese people."

He spelled out patiently the choice which is Japan's.

"The power the war lasts," he said, "the greater will be the suffering and hardships which the people of Japan will undergo—all in vain.

"Our blows will not cease until the Japanese military and naval

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Rummage sale, W.S.C.S. of the Methodist church May 11 and 12 (34-37-38)

DANCING EVERY NIGHT
Orchestra Sat. & Sun. Reservations accepted. (da1)
Sportsmen's Bar.

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War Comes to Official End at 6:01 Tonight

By Virgil Pinkley
United Press Staff Correspondent

PARIS—The bloodiest war in European history will come to its official end at 12:01 a.m. tomorrow, European time (6:01 p.m. Alpena time) today with the formal end of hostilities on a continent desolated by more than five years of conflict.

The agreement formalizing the unconditional surrender will be ratified in Berlin today, with Field Marshal Wilhelm Keitel, chief of the German high command, officially acknowledging that Germany is beaten.

SITTING AROUND THE table with Keitel in Berlin will be:

For the western allies: Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur W. Tedder, deputy supreme commander.

For Russia: Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov, commander of the first White Russian army.

For France: Gen. Jean de Lattre de Tassigny, commander of the French first army.

To save lives, the cease fire order already has sounded. But the fighting went on today in some small and scattered sectors.

Fanatical Nazis, defying the high command's unconditional surrender, held out in some parts of Czechoslovakia, in French Atlantic ports, the Channel islands, and some pinpoints in the Aegean.

And on the Russian front resistance continued in some considerable strength. But Prime Minister Churchill warned in London that if the Nazis held out after the 12:01 a.m. deadline, they would become outlaws under the rules of war and would be attacked from all sides by the allies.

THE GERMAN "PEACE" government of Grand Admiral Karl Doenitz, successor to Adolf Hit-

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GETS 25 YEARS FOR SLAYING OF FOSTER MOTHER

BIG RAPIDS, Mich.—Fifteen year old James Smiley, confessed slayer of his foster-mother, today faced a term of 25 to 40 years in prison following his plea of guilty to a second degree murder charge.

The youth, who has maintained a stoic calm since his arrest in Baltimore, Md., recently, was unmoved as Circuit Judge Earl C. Pugsley passed sentence yesterday.

Smiley told the court he shot his mother, Mrs. Edna L. Smiley, of Evanston, Ill., Apr. 21 as she lay asleep in their Echo Lake cottage. His act climaxed an argument over his staying out late nights, he said.

The youth's wealthy foster-father, an Evanston manufacturer, was not in court.

Service wives meeting Wed. 8 P.M. Civic League rooms. (37)

Live Lobsters today. Owl. (37)

Dancing every Wed. night. Hubbard Lake Tavern, Lenz Band. (Tu-We)

Order your Mother's Day Cakes now. (38)
Marceau Bakery.

Hopper Lodge E. A. Degree Tuesday, May 8 8 P.M. Lunch (37)

Group Wants Cinders Kept Out of the Bay

The Municipal Council Monday night received a petition signed by Ernest Moulds and twelve others complaining that cinders in considerable quantities are being allowed to enter the waters of Thunder Bay at the rear of the Consumers Power-co State-av plant, that the beach is being littered by the refuse a distance of several miles south and that fishing is made hazardous, the sharp cinders frequently cutting the feet of bathers.

Mr. Moulds and Harry Hansen, State-av residents, appeared in person to support the petition that steps be taken to correct the condition. They suggested that if the company continues to pile cinders on the shore a retaining wall should be built.

On motion of Councilman Le-Blanc Acting Manager Knapp was directed to confer with Consumers on the matter.

DURING THE DISCUSSION Mayor Kurrasch said that heavily laden coal trucks, driven across side walks, to get access to basement windows, are breaking the side walks in many parts of the city. Mr. Kurrasch suggested that members of the Council observe the situation and consider what should be done to stop the practice. Councilman Motley said that at least planking should be laid down and trucks driven over it when it is necessary to cross walks.

The Council received and filed the Board of Education budget calling for a tax levy totalling $177,767.34 for school purposes.

The Council voted to employ A. G. Gabriel of Detroit as actuarial consultant on the city employes retirement system. He will be paid $240 a year, plus $25 a day or traveling expense, whichever is greater, for time spent in Alpena.

ON RECOMMENDATION of Manager Knapp the Council voted against extending water mains to the Kraft residence, 832 Bolton, at a cost of $495 and to the Olson residence at 211 W. Erwin, which would cost $855.20. Only one residence would be served in each case and the Council held the cost to be prohibitive.

Municipal Judge Leblanc reported for April 7 ordinance, 10 civil and 31 state cases with $258 fines and costs collected.

The General hospital census

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Liquor Places to Reopen Wednesday

LANSING—Michigan liquor establishments closed for 24 hour period today at 9 a.m. in observance of V-E day.

John P. Aaron, chairman of the State Liquor Control commission, who ordered the special observance period, said they would be allowed to open again at 9 a.m. tomorrow.

State liquor stores which regularly open at 11 a.m. will open at the usual time tomorrow, he said.

Large Lake Minnows. Alpena Sporting Goods. (41)

No. 1 O.O.F. gift party tonight because of V-E Day. (37)

Live Lobsters today. Owl. (37)

Open bowling every night this week except Friday. (39)

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Alpena No. 190 E. A. Degree Wednesday, May 9 7:30 P.M. Lunch (38)

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ers of thankfulness.

At the Fraser Products-co. employes were dismissed for the day, regular production to resume Wednesday.

TONIGHT services will be held in all churches in the city. Protestant churches schedule services at 7:45, Immanuel Lutheran at 7:30, Catholic churches at 7:30.

For all it was a day of memories and of hopes. The job is only half-finished was the sentiment expressed along the street as men with serious faces recalled the sacrifice of men which had been the price of peace in Europe.

They recalled that 63 Alpena boys had paid the final sacrifice of their lives that peace might come—that about 100 others have been wounded and another group had spent long months in German prisons.

For me, I could not forget the boy across the street who had spent the winter in a prison camp and the sorrow of that mother who had waited for word of her boy after he had been reported missing in action."

Then there was the man who went on his mission as a lieutenant in the navy never to return—who lies in a grave in the far-off Pacific sea—a lieutenant who gayly bade us farewell as he gallantly went away, debonnaire and hopeful.

THEN THERE ARE the ill boys from The News headed by Colonel The Hawk are in service—some in the thick of the fighting in the Pacific area.

Others had the same reactions—to there was no wild celebration today in Alpena.

GEORGE McKENZIE pulled the throttle that unleashed the siren at the water works—the second time in his life that he had signaled the end of war. In 1918, he gave that signal.

May he signal the end of hostilities against Japan at an early date.

Shift Attention From Europe to the Pacific on V-E Day

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uncles in the war and one was wounded in Germany. Maybe he can come home now."

The Rev. Paul Moeller: "We have accomplished much but we must not forget that much remains to be done. Too bad it couldn't have come sooner. With our thankfulness we must continue to pray for the total end."

Hugo Brenner: "I was in Detroit in 1918 when the armistice was declared. This is different for today I have a son in the navy and V-E Day means a lot more to me as it does to some fathers We must still clean up on those Japs."

City Manager W. F. Knapp: "When V-E Day was declared my first reaction was one of thankfulness. Then came the thought of what it means to fathers and mothers and wives who have lost some one in the war. There is no room for celebration."

Schools Supt. R. H. Wilson: "I was glad it was declared over but then came the thought that we still have a big job ahead of us that needs cooperation of every one. The first news came as I was going to my office and confirmation was eagerly sought. Now for the rest of the job."

The Rev. Dean John E. Gaske: "It was with mingled feelings of joy and sorrow that the news came to me. So many of our boys have gone and so many families are sad. We must work hard to finish."

Martin H. Martinsen: "Happy. But it's not all over—only half is done. We must keep on working harder and harder for final victory and the return of all our boys."

Miss Blanche Hockett, A.H.S. teacher: "It's a great relief—like a burden lifted. We never could have failed, but what a sacrifice has been involved."

Mayor H. A. Kurrasch: The news filled me with elation as I heard it in my office. Then there came to me the great responsibility that still remains not only with the Pacific war but with those veterans who will return to us."

Belgian Royal Family Freed By Advancing Yanks

PARIS—The Belgian royal family and the Hungarian crown jewels today were among the latest people and prizes liberated by American armies overrunning the last of Hitler's hideaways.

Leopold III, king of the Belgians, Princess Retby, his commoner wife and four children were freed by the seventh army's 100th cavalry group at Strobl about 30 miles east of Salzburg. Local civilians first tipped off the Americans to Leopold's place of imprisonment.

Armed SS troops guarding the royal Belgians apparently had not heard of Germany's surrender. they put up a fight when the Yanks arrived. However, they were overcome and several of them captured.

Along with the royal family, all of whom were in good health, two brides de camp and 16 members of the royal house's old staff were liberated.

According to radio reports, American troops found the Hungarian crown jewels at a farm near Salzburg after they captured Ferenc Szalasi, former Nazi puppet premier of Hungary. He succeeds ex-Premier Kallay, who also was found by seventh army troops two days ago.

Here in the French capital liberal elements rejoiced over the news that former socialist premier Leon Blum had been found and freed in Italy. He was with former Austrian Chancellor Kurt Schuschnigg—so many times reported killed in a concentration camp—and Paul Reynaud, Edouard Daladier and the Nazi financial wizard Hjalmar Schacht.

They were found in the Hotel Prags on Lake Brais near the Austrian border. Prince Leopold of Prussia, former Hungarian Premier Nicholas Von Kallay, Gen. Franz Halder, former chief of the German general staff and Gen. Alexander Von Falkenhausen, former German military governor of Brussels were in the hotel also.

Mmes. Blum and Schuschnigg also were in the group.

ST ANNE'S
GIFT PARTY
PARISH HALL
Wednesday
8:30 SHARP
$3.00 Cash
EVERY FIRST
GROCERIES
EVERY SECOND
$15.00
DOOR GIFTS

Brownout Order Lifted in State

DETROIT—The lights will be turned up again all over the state tonight, greeting official V-E day with a brilliant blackout.

John D. McGillis, deputy regional director of the War Production Board, announced today that the WPB's brownout order of 1942 was lifted, effective immediately.

Church Notes

First Baptist—Circle No. 3 of First Baptist church will meet at nine tonight instead of at eight.

Grange News

Wilson Grange meets Wednesday at Wilsons town hall. Pot luck

Group Wants Cinders Kept Out of the Bay

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Sunday midnight was 61 compared with 52 the week previous; 44 patients, including 8 births, were admitted in the week.

CITY MANAGER KNAPP reported as follows:

Monthly progress reports have been filed with the Michigan Planning Commission showing the present status on plans for the following projects:

Sewage Disposal Plant, 98 per cent completed. Water Works Pumping Station, 95 per cent completed; City Garage, 90 per cent completed.

William J. O'Neil, chief, finance and public works program, has advised the Manager that there is an additional $3302 available for plans and that the City of Alpena will receive 30 per cent and the Board of Education 70 per cent. This additional amount will more than pay the entire cost of the City garage plans.

The completed plans of the City garage must be submitted to the Michigan Planning Commission on or before June 8, in order to receive a 50% on the cost of the plans. The plans will be completed by June 1, at which time the City manager should submit the plans whether with voucher to the Michigan Planning Commission.

GEORGE GUNDRY, city manager of Flint, has advised the Manager that he will take up the matter of the availability of Jack Mosier as a part time City Planner for Alpena, with the Flint City Planning Commission at their monthly meeting May 15th. The City had a similar arrangement with Flint in regard to the part-time service of George Hayward.

O. I. Gregg, landscape extension specialist of Michigan State College will meet with the Plan Commission and Municipal Council in a joint meeting May 14.

A MEETING OF the Civil Service board will be called as soon as the proposed rules and regulations have been prepared by the personnel division of the Michigan Municipal League. The City has been assured that they will be received within ten days to two weeks.

A drinking fountain and sprinkling faucet has been placed at Market Square.

Leak in a wooden main has been repaired at Lockwood and Fifth.

Re-surfacing of the Ball Park at Market Square is in progress

William F. Knapp
Act. City Mgr.

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NORMAN COLLINS
ARTHUR KOWALSKI
WILLIAM NEWTON
WILLIAM DIAMOND
GILBERT JOHNSON
RICHARD COLE
HEINE KASCHNER
DELMAR WALLACE
HARRY ZIELKE
JOHN TESSMER
JOHN ADAMSKI
THOMAS ELDON HABERMEHL
JAMES NESBITT
LOUIS E. BEY
WILLIAM G. McGIRR
BURTON CAHOON
HARVEY KRUEGER
LEONARD ZASKY
ELDON J. GRIES
WILLIAM MacKENZIE
NORMAN BIDLEMAN
FRANK DOWLING
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NEIL WOOLEVER
EDMUND SCHULTZ (twice)
ROBERT ATKINSON
LAWRENCE ANDERSON
ELDON HERRON
JOHN S. PRZESLAWSKI
CHARLES FREDERICK
DAVID COLE
FRANK KINDT
GEORGE MCEACHERN
NORMAN TOBIN
LEONARD ZASKE (twice)
ROBERT HILL
JOHN KELLY
EDWIN PRZYKUCKI
FRANCIS LAMB (twice)
RAY KOLNOWSKI
JOHN SNYDER
RICHARD HUGGLER
WILBERT SCHESKE.
RICHARD GIBBONS
HARRY SMITH
WILLIAM JOHNSON
HARRY GIERZEWSKI
ROBERT WOOLL
ARTHUR W. TIMM
FLORIAN KOPERWAS
THOMAS LEWIS
EDWARD NOWAK
JOHN E. MURPHY
PAUL DONNELLY
CARL MORRISON
ORILL STANDEN
HAROLD KINGSLEY
JOHN ROY
THEODORE MUSCZYNSKI
DAVID L. JOHNSON
ANTHONY JASKOLSKI
ARTHUR DION
EMERSON RANKIN
VIRGIL MURRAY
ROY GAGNON
ARTHUR SCHEPKE
EUGENE ORLOWSKI

Local News Events Tersely Told

Transferred

Flight Officer Gale E. Boynton, son of the Eldon Boyntons, 113 E. Clark, to APO San Francisco.

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Born

To Mr. and Mrs Joseph Sobek, Posen, a son, May 7, at General hospital.

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Promoted

Arthur Wernick, son of the James Wernicks, 806 Tawas to Private First Class. He is somewhere in Germany.

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Landscaping Park

City workmen are beautifying the Fletcher-King park, First-av. Plans include landscaping and the laying of new sidewalks, which is already underway.

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Collision

State police issued a summons to Herbert Schultz, R 2, after Schultz' car struck one driven by Gordon Heussner, Hubbard lake, early Monday morning. The accident occurred near Indian Reserve. Schultz, who stated he was blinded by the light on the Heussner car, was charged with being over the centerline of the highway. Damage to both cars was light.

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Seek Recruits

A Navy recruiter will be at the Draft Board office Saturday May 19 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. to interview young men 17 years or over. Those 17 years old are advised to be accompanied by their fathers or guardians and bring their birth certificates. The radar program is open to all between the ages of 17 and 30. In order to qualify men between 18 and 38 must be in class I-A have had pre-induction examination and received notice of physical fitness.

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General Hospital News

Admitted

May 7

Mrs. Liddia Amlotte, Hillman medical.

Rosalyn Mowery, 6, daughter of the Eldon Mowerys, Atlanta, medical.

Rodger Young, 7, son of the Wallace Youngs, Greenbush, surgery.

Released

May 7

George Dean, Star Route, Alpena, entered Apr. 25, medical.

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Feminine Sharpshooter Visits Here

Mrs. Ernest Brousseau, a member of the Lincoln Park, Mich., women's rifle team which recently won the Hearst-Times shoot at Olympia in Detroit, visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brousseau of Sixth-av and other relatives here Monday. Mrs. Brousseau was pictured in the Detroit Times-with other members of the trophy-winning team. Her daughter, Marjorie, 13, is one of the leading sharpshooters in the Junior competition.

Truman Proclaims Victory, Advises Japs to Surrender

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forces lay down their arms in unconditional surrender.

JUST WHAT DOES unconditional surrender of the armed forces mean for the Japanese people?

"It means the end of the war.

"It means the termination of the influence of the military leaders who have brought Japan to the present brink of disaster.

"It means provision for the return of soldiers and sailors to their families, their farms, their jobs.

"It means not prolonging the present agony and suffering of the Japanese in the vain hope of victory."

Gen. George C. Marshall, army chief of staff, and Secretary of War Henry L. Stinson and many others added their voices to observance of V-E day.

Marshall told the men in Europe that they composed, with their allies, the greatest military team in history. But he did not forget the men who have been fighting so long in the Pacific. They will be getting help soon, he said, and rest.

To veterans throughout the world Marshall said:

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"THOSE VETERANS WHO have been long overseas and suffered hazards and hardships of many battles should be spared further sacrifices, but others must move in an overwhelming flood to the Pacific to bring that war to the earliest possible conclusion as well as to relieve the war weary veterans in that theater."

Stimson said the German leaders had been shattered but added:

"They must be watched lest they again poison civilization."

Japan, Stimson said, will get what Germany got.

"We are fighting one vast war for a decent world," he said. "We shall continue that war wherever it has to be fought with all our righteous might until the last sign of power in our enemies has disappeared from sight."

Among the Sick

Miss Ruth Ann Schryer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schryer, 406 Saginaw, is ill with tonsilitis.

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Board of Review

The Board of Review is in session today and Wednesday at the city manager's office, City Hall Hours are from 10 a.m. to 12 and 2 to 5 p.m. Any taxpayer who questions his assessment is invited to meet with the board.

War Comes to Official End at 6:01 Tonight

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ler, was carrying on a semblance of official functions at Flensburg on the Danish frontier.

Doenitz offered today in a Flensburg broadcast to continue the leadership of the German government during the allied occupation of the Reich.

Reichsmarshal Hermann Goering, ousted in the last days of organized resistance from the command of the German air force was believed to be with the Doenitz government. So was Heinrich Himmler, Gestapo chief and interior minister.

Churchill said the unconditional surrender of Germany was signed at 2:41 a.m. yesterday at Reims.

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DOENITZ AND GENERAL Jodl representing the German high command, signed for Germany. Lt. Gen. Walter Bedell Smith, Eisenhower's chief of staff, and Gen. Francois Sevez signed for the western allies, and Gen. Ivan Suslopparov for Russia.

Even in the hour of allied triumph in Europe, Churchill turned sober attention to the war against Japan. He warned that Japan, with all her treachery and greed, remains unsubdued. We must now concentrate all forces for the task ahead."

The allied proclamation of victory in Europe was made simultaneously in London, Washington and Paris. No word came immediately from Moscow. It appeared that the Russians might be waiting until Zhukov has signed the surrender document in Berlin later today.

A German high command communique, presumably referring to yesterday's events as usual, said big guns of the German garrisons in the western coastal pockets—La Rochelle, St. Nazaire, Lorient, Dunkerque—"shelled enemy batteries and troop movements."

Evidently this was the last communique the high command would issue, since it now was committed to stop fighting.

The high command announced that the greeting "Heil Hitler" no longer would be used in the German army.

Returns to Hospital

Lt. (jg) Louis Shorkey, of the Merchant marine, who spent a 15-day leave with his parents, the Israel Shorkeys, 433 Walnut, has returned to Marine hospital, Baltimore, Md. for further treatment of his right hand from which a piece of shrapnel has been removed.

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Honored by Bonds

The Walter Barlows, 486 State, purchased a bond in the Seventh War Loan drive in honor of their son, Pfc. Frederick Barlow, stationed somewhere in the Philippines with the American division which was organized in New Caledonia.

A bond was also bought honoring Pfc. Lee W. Strzelecki who was killed in action in December in the Pacific area.

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Receives Call

The Rev. Paul Moeller of St. Paul Lutheran church, has received a call to become superintendent of the Lutheran Children's home at Waverly, Ia. The home is for pre-delinquent children, orphans and those in immediate need of rehabilitation under remedial treatment. The average population is 90 but last year 283 children passed through the home. The Rev. Moeller who came here in October, 1931, has not yet made his decision.

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At Training Center

James Edward Cronk, 32, fireman, first class, 110 Oak, is stationed at the Atlantic fleet's motor torpedo boat squadron's training center, Melville, R. I., where he is undergoing training, prior to joining a PT squadron. Cronk is pines with the America division Cheboygan. He is married to the former Luella Rose Sheehy, of Cheboygan. They have five children, James Edward-jr, 8; Bonnie Jean, 6, David Sterling, 4; Joseph Carl, 2; and Barbara, 10 months. Cronk has five brothers also in the service. He was an employe of the Besser Mfg.-co.

OBITUARY

ALAN GERALD OLSON

Alan Gerald Olson, infant son of Pfc. and Mrs. Gerald Olson, 122 Catherine, died early this morning. The child had been in ill health since birth Apr. 18.

Surviving besides his parents are his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. George Burnett and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Olson, Alpena.

His father who had been here ted to stop fighting. the child's birth left Sunday for Indiantown Gap, Pa.

Services will be Wednesday at 2 at Hunter funeral home. Interment in Evergreen cemetery.

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Society . . . Club Activities . . . News of Interest to Women Readers

Attic Fire

The fire department was called to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas K. Lake, at 2:30 a.m. Monday. The fire started in the attic at the southwest corner and had gained some head way before noticed by the Lake boys that sleep upstairs. The fire which was extinguished by a bucket brigade was confined to the attic but considerable damage was done to the second floor by water.

Residence Change

Mrs. Orson Ranger and children moved from the Harry Ranger home to the Mrs. Elizabeth Ferrier house on County-st this week. Pvt. Ranger is overseas.

Receives Cable

Mrs. Violet McLellan received a Mother's Day cable from her son Pvt. Morris McLellan who is stationed in France.

New Cottage

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Labonte of Alpena are having a cottage built on their lot at Lake Avalon.

Tests Given

Two government women were at the school Thursday afternoon giving civil service exams to the senior girls. Those taking the test were Lorraine Mayo, Ada Draker, Edith Edgerton, Rosalie Edgar and Alfreda Klein. Positions are open in Washington.

Home from Overseas

S-Sgt. Melford Farrier is home from overseas for medical treatments.

Entertains

Miss June Stevens entertained at her home Thursday evening Progressive bug was played with prizes won by Margaret Ranger and Jean Stewart. Refreshments were served by June and Mrs. Stevens.

Mrs. John Steiicker of Atlanta spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Hunt.—Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Walker and son of Hubbard Lake spent Sunday with Mrs. Elsie Draper.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rouleau of Alpena visited friends and relatives.—Mr and Mrs. Jack Mactier of Richmond were at their cabin near Grass Lake for several days.—Mr and Mrs. Frank Barney of Lewiston spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Farrell.—Mrs. Willard Carter of Detroit is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Nap Amiotte.—Mrs. Garner Murphy of Alpena spent Sunday at her cottage at Lake Avalon.—Mr. and Mrs. Mannie Smith of Detroit spent the week-end with Mrs. William Smith. They were accompanied back to Detroit by Mrs. J. A. Gorman who will stay with her grandsons James and John MacQueen while Mr. and Mrs. Wallace MacQueen come up here on vacation.—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Labonte and daughters of Alpena visited the Charles O'Farrells on Sunday.

State Officer Visits

Andrew L. Bradford of Benlah, deputy grand master, Grand Lodge of Michigan, was in town Thursday evening to attend a joint business meeting of Rebekahs and Odd Fellows.

Announcement

Servicemen's wives club meets Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the Civic League rooms, Memorial hall. Plans will be made for the card party.

Due to the observance of V-E Day the initiation and regular meeting of the auxiliary V. F. W. scheduled for tonight has been postponed until Tuesday, May 15.

REGIONAL WEATHER

Temperatures at 8 a.m. today: Alpena State Forest, 43, light wind and cloudy.

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Social Events..

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Henry Herringshausen was hostess to St. Matthew Ladies Aid. Herron, the meeting opening with a hymn and prayer. The topic for discussion was daily family worship. The Rev. G. Wittke led the discussion and urged parents to rear their children in Christian homes. Mrs. Wittke, chairman, was in charge of the business meeting, had a number of new books and urged the ladies to read more books so that all would be placed on the honor roll. The chairman of Life and Memorial reported that enough funds were on hand to send in for 10 memberships. It was voted on to give the oldest members of the society the membership. Cross and crown pins will be presented to them. The Mothers Day offering will go to the India missions. Roll call showed an unusual large attendance of 29 members and 6 visitors. Mrs. Mary Werth invited the ladies for the June meeting. In closing the group sang "God will take care of you" and repeated the Lord's Prayer.

Mrs. Eldon Boynton entertained Sunday afternoon and night at her home 113 E. Clark honoring her mother Mrs. Eda Arpin on the occasion of her birthday anniversary. Guests included members of the St. Paul Lutheran Ladies aid and friends. Messages of congratulations together with a number of gifts were presented the honor guest including flowers from her grandson Flight Officer Gale E. Boynton in the Pacific area. Games were played with first prize going to Mrs. Nessewitz, and second to Mrs. Amelia Sommerfeld. Mrs. Carl Beyer cut king prize. Mrs. Boynton served refreshments assisted by Miss Eda Merie Boynton and Miss Imogene Donnan.

Immanuel Lutheran Ladies Aid met Friday, 26 members present, the meeting opening with a hymn and scripture reading. A mission topic "The Call of China" was given by Rev. F. W. Neumann. The business meeting was conducted by the president Mrs. A. Gutkowski. A bake sale will be held May 26 in the church basement. After the meeting bunco was played prizes going to Mrs. M. Marzinski, Mrs. Erhardt Neumann, and to Mrs. E. Krueger for a guessing game. Refreshments were served by Mrs. G. Werth and Mrs. L. Neumann.

Mrs. Ray Kolnowski was hostess to 12 girls Sunday afternoon, honoring Grace Marquardt and Doris Filipiak on their birthdays. Hearts were played with prizes going to the Mesdames Herbert Maturak Leo Clemens and Ray Kolnowski. Queen prize was cut by Mrs. Louis Buszka. A six o'clock dinner was served at a long table centered with a large birthday cake. Mrs. Kolnowski was assisted in serving by Mrs. Buszka, Doris and Grace received many beautiful gifts.

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Attended Funeral

Mrs. Lloyd Gaudette of Flint, S-Sgt. Melba Byrnes of Cherry Pt. N. C., Pfc. MQC Charles Gaudette of San Francisco were here to attend the funeral of their father Ben Gaudette.

Glee Club Concert

The Glee club will present a program at the High school auditorium Wednesday night May 9.

Mrs. Moody Larsen will entertain Junior Aid of Methodist church on Wednesday night.—Mrs. Josephine Eichorn and son Glen were recent visitors in Detroit.—Mrs. Cynthia Smith is entertaining her brother Dr. E. J. Warren of Detroit.—Miss Kay Campbell of Ypsilanti visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell.—Mrs. Jack Wright will be hostess to the Garden iclub at her home Wednesday.—Clayton Baker has returned from a Grand Rapids hospital where he has been a patient.—Mr. and Mrs. Clare Phelps of Flint were recent guests of relatives.—Miss Dorothy Stiles of Rochester is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stiles.—Mr. and Mrs. Clare Moyer of Ypsilanti visited Mrs. Vern Jackson.—Lieut. Edmund Woehlert of U. S. Marines and Mrs. Woehlert of Detroit are spending a 10 day leave with his brother Ernest Woehlert and family.—Mrs. George Mew and son David are visiting in Kalamazoo.

Taken to Hospital

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Benaway has been taken to University hospital Ann Arbor for treatment.

Mrs. Eva Fields, mother of Rev. Arthur Fields is a patient in Little Traverse hospital.—Rudolph David, manager of Great Lakes Garment-co left Thursday for Mt. Vernon, Ind., to move his family here.

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Personal....

Mrs. David Hall spent the week-end in Detroit.

Mrs. George T. Cathes has returned from a ten day visit in Detroit and Port Huron.

T-Sgt. William Bonker has arrived from the Canadian Northwest to visit his mother, Mrs. Martha Bonker, 321 Sagina-st.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver LaBarge, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyers spent Sunday at Boyne City attending the Eagles district meeting.

Miss Barbara Oliver, student cadet nurse at Saginaw General hospital, spent the week-end with her parents, the Mervele Olivers, 126 Ripley.

Miss Donna Borland, Saginaw, spent the week-end with her parents, the Roy Borlands, 319 Mckinley. Miss Peralnd is a student cadet nurse at Saginaw General hospital.

Hahn-Piper Rites Held in Post Chapel

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Piper, Long Lake-av, announce the marriage of their daughter, Grace, to Pvt. Harold W. Hahn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hahn, Besley-st. The ceremony took place Apr. 7 at 8 p.m. in the post chapel at Naumoyle, San Antonio, Tex., before an altar decorated with palms, and pink and red roses. The Rev. Luke W. Crawford officiated.

Pvt. Felix A. Krupp, and Pvt. Merill R. McFadden attended the couple.

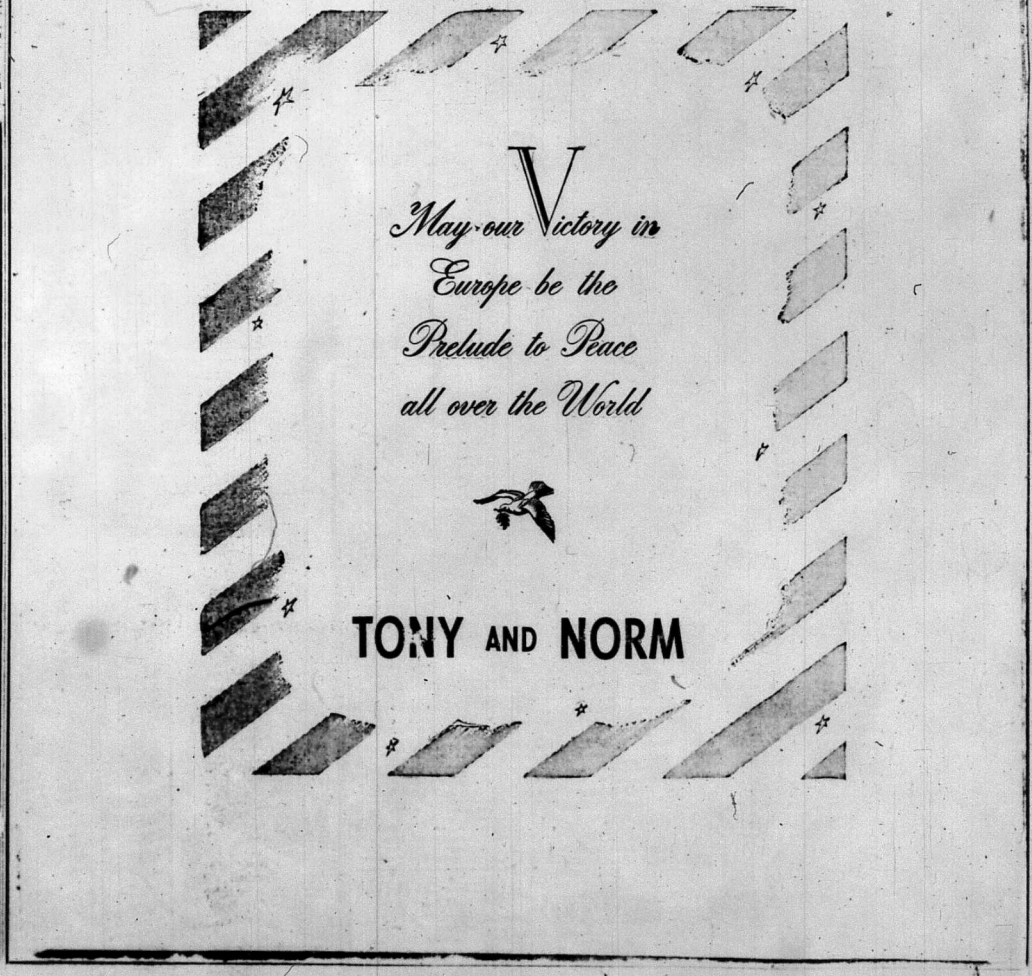
The bride wore a pale blue gabardine suit with black accessories. Her small black hat was adorned with pink flowers which matched her corsage of pink sweetheart roses.

Following the ceremony a barbecue supper was given for the couple by friends.

Pvt. and Mrs. Hahn are temporarily making their home at 421 E. St. Mary-st, San Antonio, Tex.

Mrs. William Nelson, Mrs. George Nelson and Mrs. and Mrs. George Sommerfeld have returned from Detroit where on Monday they attended the wedding of Wanda Revain and Dorsil Nelson.

Oliver Hawley, s 2-c, has left for a visit in Detroit before reporting at a base in Virginia. He had been visiting his parents, the Chester Hawleys, Hubbard. His sister, Mrs. Geraldine Dohn accompanied him to Detroit going from there to Ann Arbor where she will be employed. A brother James Hawley spent the week-end at home.



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THE OATH TO THE FLAG

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands; one Nation indivisible with liberty and justice for all.

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Food Problem

What would seem to be the best plan yet dealing with the vital problem of food distribution and control is that offered to President Truman by a special House committee recently. The committee, which has been investigating shortages and black market operations, urges immediate coordination of production, distribution, rationing and pricing, with first priority for production.

Intensely critical of the existing OPA, WFA, War Department and other policies, which they said often discouraged output, they made their strongest recommendation concerning the meat problem. They would have enforcement begin with the producers rather than at the retail end. Fair margins of profit were proposed, and specific incentives suggested for raisers of cattle, hogs and poultry.

The nine-point, 7,000 word preliminary report to the House was presented to President Truman at a White House conference. There will have to be further elaboration of details and a study of the whole. But it sounds like a logical and workable way out of the welter of conflicting policies, which are resulting in a breakdown of the present system.

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Germany's greatest loss is not the loss of the war, but the loss of her own honor and integrity, and her redemption will take a long, long time.

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War and Humanity

There seems to be rather general agreement that one more of these highly mechanized wars, along with the loosening of natural inhibitions that come in war's train, would destroy modern civilization.

But what that means is difficult to imagine. Presumably the present store of knowledge would still exist, although no one might take the trouble to learn. We might still be able to build great bridges and aqueducts, to travel swiftly on land and fly likewise through the air as at present. It is hard to imagine a world without science and its products.

But what of the human element? Would people still retain their gentle and humane qualities, cherish the finer things of life, and possess and practise religious faith? Or would all mankind become hard, mechanical and combative, linked by fear and hatred instead of faith and love? The latter sort of world wouldn't be worth much.

Barbs

Some nations are high up because some people are low down.

Most leaders admit the fate of their nation is in the hands of German hands. This should be a relief to the German people.

We can all take a tip from prizefighters. They respect each other's rights.

Half A War

This is a day of rejoicing. The German War is over. Half a war is won. But it is not a time for easy, light-hearted, care-free gladness, based on the belief that the trouble is practically over and the boys may be home any day now. For only half the war is won, that the less complicated and distant half.

The war still to be won is half a world away. When our fighting men reach it, they find it spread over islands, continents, seas, mountains and plains apparently without end.

The foe still to be conquered is one understood less by western minds. The Germans had attained modern civilization, then deliberately turned back. But the Japanese are still living in a crude sort of Middle Ages. They understand the motives which drive occidentals even less than the Germans do, and are undestood by westerners hardly at all. Even in the handling of the most basic and primitive problems, where it would seem that man might meet man on common ground, most of the Japanese take courses of action incomprehensible to us.

But they are human, even as we are. They do feel heat and cold, hunger and weariness, even as our men do. Some day, perhaps, we can meet on common human ground. But first we must conquer, must demonstrate our strength and our purpose, must compel respect for the faith that is in us that man may live as men and brothers, without aggression, greed or power, savage brutality.

The nation today thanks God and its fighting forces for this victory over cruel, unjust, rapacious Germany. Tomorrow it turns about face for harder work than ever, striving for victory over cruel, unjust, rapacious Japan.

Every day it must strengthen its own purpose for the future co-operation of all nations. It must prepare to toil, to compromise, and to sacrifice for this purpose, to determine and to ensure that this kind of war shall not occur again.

Victory

BY JAMES THRASHER

It is here at last, the day of victory. It is a day of spontaneous, heartfelt rejoicing, of deliverance and profound thankfulness. It is also a day of questioning and of stock-taking. The celebration will pass and be forgotten. The deliverance will soon be taken for granted. But the answers to the questioning and the result of the stock-taking are still to be determined.

What has been accomplished? Europe has gained liberation and peace. America has come half way, perhaps the hardest half, in its fight for survival as a free and decent nation in a free and decent world. The paralyzing grip of Nazism has been broken.

It has taken five years of struggle in the greatest, most terrible war ever known to achieve this victory. They have been five bitter years of blood, toil, tears and sweat." Their cost has been staggering, counted today in the millions of combatants and civilians who died for the victory we celebrate today. For years to come we shall count a further cost in broken lives, families, property and fortunes. Some of these can be rebuilt; others are gone forever, like the monuments of earlier and prouder cultures than ours which have vanished in the wake of battle and vandalism.

AND FOR what has this price been paid? To curb the murderous ambitions of one man, a criminal paranoiac permitted by a myopic world to hypnotize his country into a frenzy approaching his own.

Never in history was a man more personally responsible for a great war than Adolf Hitler. And never in history was one so unworthy of the sacrifices that he exacted. Yet these sacrifices have surpassed their cause in countless examples of transcendent heroism which have now reached a triumphant climax.

The victory is certainly a triumph of American strength and courage, American production and strategy and leadership. Without them there could have been no victory. But without the equal strength and courage of Dunkirk and Stalingrad and Alamein, without the hope and spirit of the patriots of all the occupied lands and of Britain in the desperate days of the blitz, Europe would not have survived to receive the American contribution that turned the tide.

Uncle Sam has taken over the anthracite mines in order to keep the masses in the coal, coal ground

War work has made it harder and harder for a man to find a wife who will help him with the dishes.

Holding Us Down to Earth

Wolf Creek

Clover Leaf Club Meets

The Clover Leaf club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Meyer, 20 members and 2 visitors present. President Arnold Thiem called the meeting to order as there was no business on hand. The evening was spent visiting. The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Thiem.

Pvt. Louis Wegmeyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wegmeyer and husband of Ruth Schultz Wegmeyer has been transferred from France to Germany.

Spent Brief Leave

Seaman August Bever, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gust Beyer of Wilson township was home on a one day leave. He is stationed on a transport ship and had just returned from England.

Seaman Erwin Ritthaler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Ritthaler who was home on a leave has returned to Great Lakes.—Paul Gehrke and Willis Wegmeyer have returned from Rochester where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Karl Wegmeyer who recently took charge of a large farm near Rochester.

MICHIGAN WAR CASUALTIES

The following Michigan war casualties which include men from the upper half of Michigan were announced today in Washington:

In all these cases next of kin have previously been notified and have been kept informed directly by the War department of any change in status.

In case of divergence between this list and information sent to the next of kin the last War Department telegram or letter to the next of kin is always the appropriate final authority on the status of a soldier.

Wounded

European area:

Pfc. Henry LaMarre; mother, Exilda, 408 Ninth, Alpena.

Pvt. Carl Pringle, mother, Anna, Prudenville.

Pacific area:

S-Sgt. Bernard Perry; mother, Rose, Garfield-av, Cheboygan.

Sgt. Henry Bartreuj; mother, Sarah, 823 Ford, Alpena.

LIBERATED OFFICER DIES

MARSHALL, Mich.—Capt. Beverly R. Gibbon, 35, rescued from the Cabanatuan prison camp on Luzon after nearly three years imprisonment by the Japs, died Sunday at Percy Jones hospital, Battle Creek.

Capt. Gibbon, who was made a prisoner when Corregidor fell on May 6, 1942, died three weeks after arriving at his home in Marshall.

His death was caused by yellow jaundice, contracted en route to this country.

Surviving are his wife, Virginia, and a 7-year-old son, Philip Lee, of Marshall, and his parents, the Herbert Gibbons, of Camden.

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Town Talk

GOOD MORNING

V-E Day dawns bright but chilly. The final surrender occurred yesterday even though official announcement of it was withheld for hours. Proclaiming of V-E Day, expected to follow late Monday, was delayed until this morning by international red tape. Telephone calls poured into The News from individuals trying to find out when surrender took place and when V-E day was to be observed. Noon came, but still no announcement. The noon hour went by without bringing any further light on the subject. Finally in mid-afternoon, it was indicated there would be no V-E Day proclamation until Tuesday even though the British Ministry of Information in London was at the moment in effect proclaiming May 8 a Victory in Europe Day. Supreme headquarters of the American Expeditionary Force 'SHAEF' still withheld confirmation of a German radio report that unconditional surrender of all German forces had taken place. Mystified people tried to be jubiliant over the long-awaited occasion.

IMAGINE THE JOY which marked the recent meeting in France of Ben Wright and Pat Richards, bosom pals in prewar days when Ben was chief holler guy for the Chamber of Commerce and Pat was chronicler of Alpena events in his daily Good Evening column of The News. That meeting must have been a colossal morale booster for both of them. Just hearing about it was a shot in the arm for the Skipper back here on the home front.

CHARLES "CHUCK" Van Dusen writes from Germany that he has seen Ben Wright's "Spirit of Alpena" jeep but that Ben was nowhere to be found at the time. "Chuck" hopes to be lucky enough to see Ben soon. He has "Alpena" painted on the front of his truck but up to the time of writing the letter has seen no one from home. He's trying to arrange a meeting with his brother, Leonard, also in Germany. Charles and Leonard are the sons of Charles Van Dusen, 502 Long Lake and sister of Mrs. W. F. Hildreth of Mackinac Island. Leonard's wife and three sons reside in Posen.

"YOU CAN'T GO wrong in this mare, she's gentle, sound; a good worker and a fine saddle horse," Bill Dege is quoted as saying in the Besser Victory News sheet. The reported answer which Bill got from Rosa Patterson was "What I want to know, is she tender?"

STILL APPROPRIATE

Thirty years ago in the Town Talk column the Sphynx (Art Hanna) remarked, "This is the time of year we should mind our P's and Q-Cumbers", and I guess the same still holds true today.

MEET IN PHILIPPINES

Pvt. Leo Couture and Sgt. Raymond Couture, sons of the Joseph Coutures, 602 Saginaw, enjoyed a visit last week in the Philippines, according to a letter just received by their parents. In order to have the visit Pvt. Leo secured a pass and traveled 175 miles to get to Sgt. Raymond who was unable to get a pass.

A year ago the same two men in New Guinea enjoyed a pleasant reunion.

Lawrence Couture, S 1/c, a third son in service, came home Apr. 28 on a 30-day leave after serving 17 months overseas in the Pacific area. This is his first visit home in 18 months. He joined the Navy Mar. 2 1943. Pvt. Leo joined the army Dec. 29, 1942 and Sgt. Raymond on Feb. 3, 1943.

THE PHILOSOPHER SAYS—

No one gets something for nothing but a lot of people keep trying.

TODAY'S BIBLE THOUGHT

God values the spirit that animates prayer more than he does the form: Let my prayer be set forth before thee as incense, and the lifting up my hands as the evening sacrifice.—Psalm 141:2.

RAMBLINGS

Going back to that fine picture of Ocqueoc falls which decorated the cover of the last issue of Calcite Screenings, we understand that the picture was taken by one of the staff of the Michigan Limestone & Chemical Co. It is a real work of photographic art. Also, George R. Jones, safety director of the company, made his bow with that issue as editor. Another item of interest. For the first time all of the freighters of that company were berthed at Rogers City where a large program of repairs and refitting was carried on giving employment to about 300 men during the winter. The freighters are the White, Calcite; Munson, Fay-R. Robinson and Bradley—an imposing fleet.***Monday certainly was a leaser of a day for one and all. Breathlessly waiting word that it was officially V-E Day, yet nothing official came, so all any one could do was just wait. It was a quiet kind of excitement, sort of kept under control, ofttimes waiting for the official word. No hilarious gatherings but every one's ear pinned to the radio and eyes glued to the newspapers

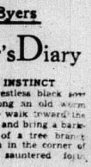
Calvin A. Byers

Farmer's Diary

MOTHER INSTINCT

I watched a restless black sow in a pasture along an old worm fence. I saw her walk toward the center of the lot, and bring a barren stick—part of a tree branch. She laid it down in the corner of her house, then sauntered forth again.

This time she returned with a piece of weathered rail, about five feet long. That too, she placed beside the branch, then went again and brought even a longer piece from far down the fence. The pieces were laid across the zigzag on the fence. She lay down for a while in the corner she had partitioned.



Byers

Then I saw her go for straw. She brought a huge mouthful and spread it around the corner, within the sticks. A second and a third time she fetched straw to make a heap. Her pink distended udder trailed the ground, as she lay down to rest.

I wondered about those sticks. I had never seen a sow do that before. She was resting contentedly, and I went away.

The next afternoon I passed that way and counted her ten offspring—black as soot. She lay with her back close to the fence corner and the little ones were feeding. The family table, I noticed was completely filled. Satisfied, the wobbly little pigs moved around the enclosure, stumbled against the sticks—the two rails and the barkless weathered branch, but remained inside the fence corner.

Perhaps the open field brought back an instinct of the wild. Such as Scott discovered in the forest herds of Ivanhoe, cared for by Girth and Wamba.

I visited the pasture several times. I never saw a more bouncing, lusty litter—all chipper and rolypoly. They jumped and ran and fought each other constantly—all in good fun. What a human help, except a little grain each day, that sow reared her family to shift for themselves. They pastured on meadow blue grass—dug worms about the rotted rails and stumps—drank from the rill. It seemed to me the ideal, natural way to raise hogs.

Letters

Letters from News readers welcomed for publication. Write plainly, on one side of paper. Authors identity must be known in all cases though publication of name is not always necessary.

THANK YOU

Editor:

Many, many thanks for the warm reception given me by your community. It's difficult to express just how much your kindness and hospitality meant to me.

More than ever I'm convinced that Michigan is really the home of friendship, and I shall always remember Alpena for its fine spirit and the splendid job it is doing in working for both war and peace.

Gone but not forgetting

T-Sgt. Nelson B. McLain
Room 481, Federal Building
Detroit, Michigan.

Guess the reason was that every one knew it was sure coming and slightly overdue.*** That's all—only, if we don't get some of that dust allayer on the gravel streets before long, the new gravel fill will be all blown away.

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PETER EDSON

In San Francisco...

BY PETER EDSON
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

No coverage of this United Nations Organization which will deal with these problems in the future would be complete if they are international problems. However, should the conference get bogged down in purely domestic fights within the borders of one country, it might be called the unofficial bowling heart international. The bowlers after one of the preliminary sessions had the same problems that the delegates had. All the loud and discordant noises heard in San Francisco today, however, merely indicate what tomorrow's trouble spots are going to be and what problems the United Nations Organization will be obligated to keep its hands off.

By far the loudest yellers at San Francisco are the patriots for Palestine. You can't blame them. The Jews have taken an awful beating in this war and there ought to be some place they could go to get away from it all.

NEXT TO PALESTINE, THE

question that comes up oftenest is that of the well-known Polish dispute. As if the Big Four weren't having enough trouble settling this one, they've got a smoldering example of rival factions, Polish-Americans, which will bring out Americans are on hand to aid in their behalf because Most of the pioneering up Royal British and nationalist India delegations will be on hand to fight for their cause whenever they get a chance to get at it and so do the pro-Mikailovich and anti-Tito Serbs. Dr. Singman Rhee, and Filipino Hukbalahaps are here at the heads of rival Korean groups.

ELSEWHERE FOR almost every nation there are delegations from here and there emphasized by movement headed by William C. Bullitt and Freda Kirchwey lobbying all over the lot to make sure Fascist Spain doesn't get a chance to become a United Nations in the back door.

Looking Back

In Alpena

One Year Ago—Dr. Frank M. Field of Saginaw, district superintendent of the Methodist church conducted fourth quarterly conference.—Municipal Council approved a city budget of $211,552.50 for the 16-month period. From this a summer tax rate of $17.36 per thousand is indicated.—Municipal Council reduced appropriation to Chamber of Commerce from $1,000 to $800 and Alpena Sportsmen's club from $400 to $200 at insistance of labor spokesmen.—The safety traffic division of the AAA awarded plaques to Avery, Baldwin, Bingham, Immanuel Lutheran, McPhee, St. Anne, St. Mary and St. Bernard.

Fifteen Years Ago — Alpena County gained 836 in population in the past ten years. Population now is 18,508 compared with 17,686 in 1920.—Forty candidates were initiated into Elks of which C. A. Reynolds was exalted ruler.

Thirty Years Ago—John Bunny was featured at Lyric in a Vitagraph comedy. "Bunny Backslides".—George A. Shenk of Wilson secured license to sell sweet cream in city during summer months.—Walter Krebs won high score at Lyric Bowling Alleys with score of 249.

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Alpena Draft Board Has Sent Over 2,000 Men Into Service

MARTIN H. MARTINSON

FELIX SZYMANSKI

GEORGE CATHRO

ANGUS McDOUGALL

LLOYD LEAVITT

IVAN LEBLANC

Board of Education

Alpena, Mich., Apr. 11, 1945

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of the Union School District of the City of Alpena met in the high school building on the above date and was called to order at 7:30 p.m.

Present: President Kurrasch, Trustees Hagen, Hanson, Lawrence, Lund, Schulke, Gillard.

Absent: None.

Moved by Trustee Lawrence, supported by Trustee Schulke, that Trustee Hanson act as secretary pro tem. Carried unanimously.

New Boiler for Churchill School

Moved by Trustee Lawrence, supported by Trustee Hagen, that Peter Eddy, Dearborn, be authorized to furnish and install in the Churchill School a steel steam boiler, heavy duty stoker, and the necessary pipe coils at a total estimated cost of $4,450 as per proposals in his letters of April 2 and 5, said work to be completed by Aug. 15, 1945, and to be guaranteed as to material and workmanship. Carried by vote as follows: Trustees Gillard, Hagen, Hanson, Lawrence, Lund, Schulke. Nays: None.

Establish Day Trade Shop

Moved by Trustee Lund, supported by Trustee Schulke, that the Board authorize the establishment of a day trade machine shop course in the high school in cooperation with the State Board of Control for Vocational Education. Carried by vote as follows: Ayes: Trustees Gillard, Hagen, Hanson, Lawrence, Lund, Schulke. Nays: None.

Vacation Church School

Moved by Trustee Gillard, supported by Trustee Lawrence, that the request of Dr. Kauffman for the establishment of a non-sectarian vacation school be granted in behalf of a group of the churches, they to furnish their own supplies and janitor service. The school will be held during the summer in the vacant buildings to be selected later. Carried unanimously.

Increase Schedule Salaries

Moved by Trustee Hagen, supported by Trustee Lawrence, that the salary schedule adopted Mar. 19, 1943, be increased by adding $100 to the minimum and maximum salaries in the respective classifications, effective Sept. 1, 1945; that a similar $100 adjustment be made for nonteaching employees effective July 1, 1945; and that Section XVII be amended to read as follows: Substitutes—The pay for substitutes shall be at the rate of $6 per day. After 20 days of continuous substitution, the pay shall be $7.50 per day. Carried by vote as follows: Ayes: Trustees Gillard, Hagen, Hanson, Lawrence, Lund, Schulke. Nays: None.

Monthly Reports

The reports of the superintendent, the librarian, and the nurse for the month of March were received and read. Moved by Trustee Lund, supported by Trustee Schulke, that these reports be accepted and placed on file, and that the sum of $44.59, library fines, be deposited with the treasurer. Carried by vote as follows: Ayes: Trustees Hagen, Hanson, Lawrence, Lund, Schulke, Gillard. Nays: None.

Increase Librarian's Salary

Moved by Trustee Gillard, supported by Trustee Schulke, that the salary of Mrs. Rhea Lankheet be increased $25 per month beginning March 1, 1945. Carried by vote as follows: Ayes: Trustees Gillard, Hagen, Hanson, Lawrence, Lund, Schulke. Nays: None.

On motion of Trustee Schulke, supported by Trustee Hanson, the meeting adjourned.

April 11, 1945

Immediately after the adjournment of the old Board, President Kurrasch called the new Board to order.

Present: President Kurrasch, Trustees Gillard, Hagen, Hanson, Lawrence, Lund, Schulke. Absent: None.

Moved by Trustee Hagen, supported by Trustee Lund, that Trustee Hanson be named secretary pro tem. Carried unanimously.

Depositories Named

Moved by Trustee Lund, supported by Trustee Schulke, that the Alpena Savings Bank and the Peoples State Bank be named as depositories for the funds of the Union School District of the City of Alpena for the ensuing year. Carried by vote as follows: Ayes: Trustees Gillard, Hagen, Hanson, Lawrence, Lund, Schulke. Nays: None.

Treasurer Elected

Moved by Trustee Hanson, supported by Trustee Hagen, that Trustee Lawrence be named as treasurer of the Union School District for the ensuing year, and that the premium on the treasurer's bond of $10,000 be paid by the Board of Education. Carried by vote as follows: Ayes: Trustees Hagen, Hanson, Lawrence, Lund, Schulke, Gillard. Nays: None.

Committees Named

April 11, 1945

To the Honorable,
the Board of Education
Alpena, Michigan.
Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my appointments of committees for the fiscal year 1945-46 as follows:

Executive — Trustees Hagen, Lund, Schulke.

Examination—Trustees Hagen, Lawrence, Hanson, Superintendent Wilson.

Schools—Trustees Lund, Gillard, Schulke.

Finance—Trustees Hanson, Gillard, Lawrence.

Library — Trustees Schulke, Lund, Hanson.

Respectfully submitted,
Herbert A. Kurrasch,
President.

Moved by Trustee Gillard, supported by Trustee Lawrence, that the report of the president be received, accepted and placed on file. Carried unanimously.

On motion of Trustee Hagen, supported by Trustee Hanson, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
C. J. Hanson,
Secretary Pro Tem.

U. OF D. STAR KILLED

DETROIT—S-Sgt. Tom Seaffner, former University of Detroit halfback, has been reported killed in action Apr. 12 in Germany, according to word from his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Seaffner of Gary, Indiana. He played right halfback for U. of D. during 1941 and 1942 seasons before entering the Army.

The Alpena County Selective Service board has sent 2,004 men into the army, navy and marines during the past four and one-half years.

Chairman Martin H. Martinson is the only one of the three original members still serving.

The original three members were Chairman Martinson, Municipal Judge Ivan J. LeBlanc and Lloyd R. Leavitt, veteran of World War I and a captain in the present war.

When Leavitt resigned from the Draft board to accept a commission in the army, Angus E. McDougall was appointed to fill the vacancy.

When Judge Leblanc resigned owing to ill health following serious injuries received in an automobile accident, George Cathro, of Cathro was named to the vacancy.

Later, the board was enlarged to four members with the appointment of Felix Szymanski of Ninth avenue.

Draft board office records disclose that 3,418 men between the ages of 18-38 have been registered. Registrations of men in the 38-45 group numbered 1,166 and in the 45-64 group there were 2,159 registrations.

A total of 180 Alpena county men have been discharged from service.

Trustees Hagen, Hanson, Lawrence, Lund, Schulke, Gillard. Nays: None.

Audit Treasurer's Report

April 11, 1945

To the Honorable,
the Board of Education
Alpena, Michigan.
Gentlemen:

Your finance committee respectfully reports that they have examined the report of the treasurer for the year ending Feb. 28, 1945, books, bank reports, deposits and warrants issued, have compared the same with the city treasurer's report, and find it correct in every detail.

Respectfully submitted,
F. E. Lawrence,
Donald K. Gillard,
C. J. Hanson,
Committee

Moved by Trustee Hanson, supported by Trustee Schulke, that the report of the finance committee be accepted as read. Carried by vote as follows: Ayes: Trustees Hagen, Hanson, Lawrence, Lund, Schulke, Gillard. Nays: None.

Certify Board Members

April 11, 1945

Board of Education
Alpena, Michigan
Gentlemen:

This is to certify that at the biennial spring election held in the City of Alpena on April 2, 1945, Donald K. Gillard, in the first precinct, and Ralph Lund, in the sixth precinct, were duly elected members of the Board of Education for three year terms.

Yours truly,
Herbert M. Howe, City Clerk.

Moved by Trustee Lawrence, supported by Trustee Schulke, that the report of the City Clerk be accepted and placed on file. Carried unanimously.

Examination Committee Report

The examination committee report on teachers' contracts for the year 1945-46 was presented.

Moved by Trustee Lund, supported by Trustee Gillard, that the report of the examination committee be accepted and its recommendations concurred in, and that the president, secretary, treasurer, and superintendent be authorized to issue contracts to the various teachers listed. Carried by vote as follows: Ayes: Trustees Gillard, Hagen, Hanson, Lawrence, Lund, Schulke. Nays: None.

Pay Bond Interest

Moved by Trustee Hagen, supported by Trustee Lund, that the president and secretary be authorized to issue a warrant in the amount of $1660, interest on bonds of 1925. Carried by vote as follows: Ayes: Trustees Hagen, Hanson, Lawrence, Lund, Schulke. Nays: None.

Your treasurer respectfully reports cash in banks on April 1, 1945, as follows:

Peoples State Bank	$18,118.91
Alpena Savings Bank, building and site	11,064.32
Alpena Savings Bank, bond interest	3,572.28
Impounded funds	3.53
	32,759.04
Less warrants outstanding	4,236.62
	$28,522.42

No notes outstanding

Respectfully submitted,
F. E. Lawrence, Treasurer.

Moved by Trustee Hanson, supported by Trustee Gillard, that the report of the treasurer for the month of March be received, accepted and placed on file. Carried by vote as follows: Ayes: Trustees Gillard, Hagen, Hanson, Lawrence, Lund, Schulke. Nays: None.

Bills Allowed

April 11, 1945

To the Honorable,
the Board of Education
Alpena, Michigan.
Gentlemen:

Your finance committee respectfully recommends the payment of the following bills:

Allyn & Bacon	$ 14.75
Alpena Lumber Co.	16.35
Alpena News	15.60
Alpena Power Co.	733.96
Alpena Printing Studio	7.35
Alpena Supply Co.	53.74
Alpena Wholesale Grocer Co.	4.78
Alson Anderson	21.50
Ash Radio & Music Shop	10.75
Athletic Supply Co.	9.00
Automatic Electric Sales Corp.	6.30
George Baker	1.00
Beecher, Peck & Lewis	9.72
Bishop Coal Co.	69.46
Bishop Insurance Agency	.66
Brodhead-Garrett Co.	.83
Central Scientific Co.	64.50
Collins Insurance Agency	7.04
Consumers Power Co.	7.91
Cornell University Press	1.53
Costello Mfg. Co.	73.10
Detroit News	439.81
Doubleday Bros. & Co.	63.60
Educational Music Bureau	6.34
Eddy Engineering Co.	14.60
Harold Ellsworth	1.00
Fenske Business Equipment Co.	23.99
M. E. Finch	24.15
John H. Freeman	6.70
Detroit Free Press	7.50
Wm. J. French	3.75
Gebhardt-Morrow	61.25
Gover's Central Supply Co.	23.89
Hanson Electric Co.	3.32
Huron Hdwe. Co.	4.51
Ideals Publishing Co.	3.75
Iroquois Publishing Co.	3.78
Kee Lox Mfg. Co.	33.60
J. B. Lippincott Co.	2.99
Wm. V. MacGill	6.90
Edna Means Dramatic Serv.	7.36
Michigan School Service	163.04
Mike's Hardware	28.12
Model Printing Co.	59.25
Morley Bros.	11.06
Pickett's Pharmacy	2.30
R. Piepkorn	521.35
Public School Pub. Co.	14.39
John F. Rider Publisher	10.00
Roxy Service	1.35
School Arts Magazine	4.00
Scott, Foresman Co.	111.52
Southwestern Pub. Co.	1.47
Jos. Swallow Hdwe.	3.47
Tri-County Telephone Co	50.13
Stanley E. VanLare	27.52
J. D. Wallace & Co.	6.63
Wetmore Declamation Bureau	5.20
Western Union	3.17
R. H. Wilson	27.28
W. R. Woelk	11.58
Petty cash	27.10
Electric Service & Supply	1.35
Elvera Carlson	40.00
Harriet Foley	34.98

Respectfully submitted,
F. E. Lawrence,
Donald K. Gillard,
C. J. Hanson,
Finance Committee

Moved by Trustee Schulke, supported by Trustee Lawrence, that the report of the finance committee be accepted, its recommendations concurred in, and that the president and secretary be authorized to issue warrants in payment of the various amounts. Carried by vote as follows: Ayes: Trustees Gillard, Hagen, Hanson, Lawrence, Lund, Schulke. Nays: None.

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Tigers to Send Baseball's Big Three Hurlers Against Yankees

Western Clubs Will Test Giants, Says Manager Ott

By Jack Cuddy
United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK — Little Mel Ott, popular manager and eight fielder of the Giants, was changing from ball togs to civvies in his office. he had about as much privacy as a show-window mannikin. The baseball writers wanted to know what he thought about the National league pennant race now that the opening phase of the campaign was completed.

MODEST MEL SAID, "I can tell you more about the race after we play the western clubs. Yes, we've done all right against the other eastern clubs. We're leading the league, and I'm convinced that our club is improved considerably over last season. But I expect rough going when the western outfits begin moving in on us Tuesday. Cincinnati tackles us first."

Ott was in excellent spirits. His Giants had just won the opener of a Sunday double header from the Braves, thanks to ninth inning home runs by Phil Weintraub and "Schnozz" Lombardi. And rain had washed out the nightcap, but not before Johnny Picker had stretched his hitting streak to 17 straight games.

OTT WAS PLEASED with the Giants' performances against the Braves, whom he tabbed the most improved club in the east. Including Sunday's victory, the Oilmen have beaten Boston six times in seven contests. Against all eastern opposition, the New Yorkers have won 12 and lost four. This is much better than last season, when the Giants registered only eight victories and nine defeats in the first phase of play.

Manager Mel continued, "For me personally, the big difference between the two seasons is that I know what I've got this year. Last season I didn't know that. I had to do a lot of experimenting with new players, never knowing what to expect. Now I know what I've got." He grinned wryly and added, "But I don't know yet what those western clubs have."

WILLIAM JOHNSON

TESLA STEARNS

BOWLERS ELECT — William Johnson, who at 72 is the dean of Alpena bowlers, Monday evening was re-elected president of the Commercial Bowling league at the annual league banquet at Rustic Pine Inn. Tesla Stearns was elected secretary-treasurer replacing Clarence LaCasse who moved to Flint. League members voted to bowl 28 weeks next season instead of 35 as during the past season.

CHANDLER TO HOLD TWO JOBS

LEXINGTON Ky. — Baseball's new commissioner, Sen. Albert (Happy) Chandler, made it plain today that he intends to hold down two jobs "until the people protest."

"I am under no pressure to quit the Senate and believe I can handle both jobs," he said.

Speaking last night at a testimonial dinner sponsored by the Cooperative Club of Lexington, he said that he would take money for one position only.

After the dinner he left for Cincinnati, O., where he will make arrangements to transfer the baseball commissioner's office from Chicago.

Appointment of Administrator

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Alpena. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate office, in the City of Alpena in said County, on the 7th day of May A.D. 1945. Present, Hon. Charles W. McLean, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Frank Duley, deceased. Vina Minnick having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Anthony Duley or to some other suitable person. It is ordered that the 4th day of June A.D. 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition. It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in The Alpena News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Charles W. McLean,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
Helen Colby, Register of Probate.
(may8-15-22-29)

Appointment of Administrator

State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Alpena. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Alpena in said County, on the 7th day of May A.D. 1945. Present, Hon. Charles W. McLean, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Victoria Duley, deceased. Vina Minnick having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Anthony Duley or to some other suitable person. It is ordered, that the 4th day of June A.D. 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition. It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in The Alpena News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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Probate of Will

State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Alpena. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Alpena in said County, on the 7th day of May A.D. 1945. Present, Hon. Charles W. McLean, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Nina M. Hill, deceased. Alta Gapske, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to herself, said Alta Gapske or some other suitable person. It is ordered, that the 4th day of June A.D. 1945, at 10 A.M., at said probate office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition. It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in The Alpena News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Charles W. McLean,
Judge of Probate.

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Sale or Mortgage of Real Estate

State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Alpena. At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Alpena in said County, on the 17th day of April A.D. 1945. Present, Hon. Charles W. McLean, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Grace K. Fletcher, a minor. P. K. Fletcher and Harry Fletcher, guardians having filed in said Court their petition, praying for license to sell at private sale the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described, and to approve and ratify a lease agreement and option. It is ordered, that the 15th day of May A.D. 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell at private sale the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted. It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in The Alpena News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Charles W. McLean,
Judge of Probate.

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Wonders Why Nova and Barlund Continue in Ring

By Harry Grayson
NEA Sports Editor

Hard upon the news of the fall of Berlin, surrender of the Nazis in Italy and other epoch-making events comes the stunning announcement that Lou Nova and Gunnar Barlund will clash in a 10-round battle at historic old St. Nicholas Arena in midtown Manhattan, May 11. Clash is the word. Just two big blokes bumping one another. You might also say splash. Either is likely to sniff resin at any second.

Why shopworn heavyweights can continue on indefinitely is a question that has puzzled sock scientists for generations. It must be the customers like to see them fall. A towering gent tumbling in sections always is spectacular.

Fighting for no reason at all, Nova and Barlund take boxing to its lowest wartime depth.

THIS IS ALSO where we came in. Following six rounds of a slow-motion mauling at Madison Square Garden, Oct. 3, 1938, Nova, who then held some promise despite his 2 o'clock feet, knocked out the Finnish mariner of Helsingfors in the seventh.

Asked where Nova and Barlund came from, Mike Jacobs, never at a loss for an answer, replied coyly: "Off the floor, where else?"

Nova and Barlund have to make a living of course, and have chosen the hard way, but, then, it was always tough to make an easy living. And beak busting is no more wearing on the celebrated California catcher and the Finnish Flossdrenger than they are on the addicts.

James J. Johnston picked up Nova in the sticks, discarded his Yogi philosophy, dynamic stance, console punch and other wacky stunts. Square Guy Johnston convinced Nova that he would get farther standing on his pins than standing on his head.

REFURBISHED BY Jimmy Johnston, Nova, to his utter amazement, found himself back smack dab in Madison Square Garden. He was knocked right out of it again by Joe Baksi, but work in the Garden is good business even at that, and, as Tim Hurst once remarked, think of the hours.

Barlund was flattened in his last start by Joe Baksi, who relishes this kind of an assignment, so the Finnish Flogerroo comes off the floor still a contender as far as Lou Nova is concerned on the pugilistic merry-go-round.

Notice of Hearing Claims Before Court

State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Alpena. In the matter of the estate of Gilbert M. Schorn, deceased. Notice is hereby given that two months from the 8th day of May A.D. 1945, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Alpena, in said county, on or before the 9th day of July A.D. 1945, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Thursday, the 12th day of July A.D. 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated May 8 A.D. 1945.

Charles W. McLean,
Judge of Probate.

(may8-15-22-29)

Notice of Hearing Claims Before Court

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Alpena. In the matter of the estate of Edward Kinsel, deceased. Notice is hereby given that two months from the 8th day of May A.D. 1945, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Alpena, in said county, on or before the 9th day of July A.D. 1945, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Friday, the 13th day of July A.D. 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated May 8 A.D. 1945.

Charles W. McLean,
Judge of Probate.

(may8-15-22-29)

Notice of Hearing Claims Before Court

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Alpena. In the matter of the estate of Jarold Gobl, deceased. Notice is hereby given that two months from the 8th day of May A.D. 1945, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Alpena, in said county, on or before the 9th day of July A.D. 1945, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Friday, the 13th day of July A.D. 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated May 8 A.D. 1945.

Charles W. McLean,
Judge of Probate.

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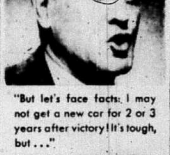
Flint Coach Signs With Midland High

FLINT—Stanley J. Kuick-sr, assistant football coach of Northern High school for 16 years, today signed as head coach of track and football of Midland High school.

"I believe in facing facts!"

"Sure, I could use a new car as soon as the war is over."

"But let's face facts: I may not get a new car for 2 or 3 years after victory! It's tough, but . . ."



"After all, my Gulf man's on my side! And he says if I treat my car regularly with Gulfpride* and Gulflex**, it can last well beyond V-Day!"

"What's more, I believe him, because I know he gives the finest lubrication I can get anywhere! Yes, sir, I'm betting my car will last!"

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Knocks out friction at up to 39 vital chassis points! Protection plus!

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Mrs. McNeill Stars As Hotel Wins Girls Pin League Crown

Alpena Hotel today held the championship of the No. 1 Girls Bowling league, thanks to the sensational pin spilling of Mrs. Roland McNeill Monday evening at the Howe alleys in a semi-final match against Gately-Short.

Needing victory in two out of three games rather than the higher total in pins, Alpena Hotel won the first game by a margin of 18 pins largely because Mrs. McNeill posted 211, nearly 80 pins more than any of the other nine bowlers in the match.

AND HOTEL WON THE second game by a scant six pins with Mrs. McNeill again getting the pace with 208, more than 40 pins higher than any of the other contestants. That ended the match, but the third game was bowled as a formality with Hotel again emerging on top. Mrs. McNeill fell to 143, but emerged with a 567 total, one pin higher than the 561 season record which Mrs. Realy established in regular league play.

If Gately-Short had won the match, the two teams would have met again in the finals for the reason that both teams tied for the top in the first half race while Hotel finished alone at the top in the second half. Last night's match decided the first half tie.

MEMBERS OF THE championship team in addition to Mrs. McNeill are Mrs. Howard McKim, Mrs. Arthur Champagne, Mrs. Charles Melcher and Mrs. Gordon Oliver.

Their opponents were Mrs. Joe Realy, Mrs. Ray McCallum, Ruth Elowski, Kate McDonnell and Mrs. Harlo Herron.

The scores:

Gately-Short			
Herron M.	145	137	144—426
McDonnell K.	117	114	134—365
Zlowsky E.	121	100	101—322
McCallum J.	121	136	113—370
Realy M.	143	163	152—458
Handicap	5	5	5—15
Totals	652	657	647-1956

Alpena Hotel			
McKim K.	98	128	121—347
Champagne A.	128	109	144—381
Melcher E.	127	133	123—383
Oliver	166	135	127—318
McNeill J.	211	208	143—562
	670	663	678-1991

Bowling Standings

GIRLS LEAGUE NO 2

	W	L
Kotwicki	25	14
Alpena Furniture	23	16
Alpena Lumber	23	16
Trianon	18	21
Besser II	17	22
Montgomery-Ward	17	22
Printing Studio	17	22
Besser I	16	23

First half winner, Besser II.

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE
First half winner, Mixers.
Second half winner, Grove.
Playoff winner and league champion, Mixers.

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE
First half winner, Firsch.
Second half winner, Oils.
Playoff winner and league champion, Oils.

MERCHANTS LEAGUE
First half winner, R. C. Cola
Second half winner, Free Press.
Playoff match May 9.

GIRLS LEAGUE NO 1
First half winners, Hotel and Gately-Short tied.
Second half winner, Hotel
Playoff winner and league champion, Hotel.

Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
Chicago	9	3	.750
New York	10	4	.714
Detroit	9	5	.643
Washington	9	8	.529
Philadelphia	7	9	.438
Boston	6	10	.375
St. Louis	5	8	.385
Cleveland	3	10	.231

Monday's Results
Cleveland at Chicago, rain.

Tuesday's Probable Pitchers
Washington (Wolff) at St. Louis (Potter)—night game.
Cleveland (Embree) at Chicago (Grove).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
New York	12	4	.750
Brooklyn	9	6	.600
Chicago	8	6	.571
St. Louis	8	6	.571
Boston	7	8	.467
Cincinnati	6	8	.483
Pittsburgh	6	9	.400
Philadelphia	3	13	.188

Monday's Results
No games scheduled

Tuesday's Probable Pitchers
Cincinnati (Dasso of New York (Feldman)—night game.

ZIVIC DEFEATS AZTECA

SAN ANTONIO — Cpl. Fritzie Zivic, former welterweight titlist from Pittsburgh, took an easy 10-round decision last night from Mexican welterweight champion Kid Azteca.

Leaders

National League

	AB	H	PCT
Olmo Brooklyn	44	18	.409
Nieman Boston	50	20	.400
O'Brien Pittsburgh	53	20	.377
Ott New York	56	21	.375
Dinges Phila.	85	24	.369

American League

	AB	H	PCT
Cuccinello Chicago	38	15	.395
Stephens St. Louis	38	14	.389
Mayo Detroit	54	19	.352
Case Washington	52	21	.359
Stirnweiss New York	54	18	.333

Home Runs

Lombardi Giants	5
Ott Giants	4
Weintraub Giants	4
Nieman Braves	4
Derry Yankees	4

Bowling Scores

HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE

Merlinson (1)

McSorley	125	128	157—410
Julian		134	101—235
VeVerka	152	107	104—363
Harris	138	173	193—504

Nowak (2)

Hansen	150	110	126—386
Wilson	129	211	125—465
Ross	169	145	147—454

Kotwicki (1)

Hampton	118	191	161—470
Merideth	170	125	146—441
Sawyer	132	91	108—331
Nordstrand	90	105	109—304

Alpena Oil (2)

Gagnon	123	123	128—374
Levin	96	112	150—358
Portwine	148	120	162—430
Ellis	169	143	121—433

Pickell (1)

Kindt	146	159	164—469
Zeiler	133	116	171—420
Orlowski	126	135	146—407

Cohen Hardware (2)

Sommerfeld	165	149	136—450
Kwiatkowski	130	130	133—393
Wytocki	143	132	117—392
Sobieski	140	156	199—495
H. P. C.	0		

Huggler	122	165	179—466
Butcher	107	127	121—355
Samp	142	120	140—402
R Stepanski	118	133	103—334
Bock	151	190	120—441

George's Tavern (3)

Sommerfeld	89	139	168—386
J. Stepanski	98	127	195—451
Ritcski	126	143	135—405
Wytocki	143	132	117—392
Sobieski	140	156	199—495

Huggler	122	165	179—466
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Benton, Trout And Newhouser To See Action

DETROIT—The Detroit Tigers are not regarding their coming series with the New York Yankees with too much optimism—of that you may be sure.

In fact, manager Steve O'Neill intends to "shoot the works" at the Yanks when they invade Briggs Stadium tomorrow for a three-game series.

This means, Paul (Dizzy) Trout and Al Benton, whose hurling for the Tigers this year has accounted for nine victories in twelve starts.

Benton has accounted for four of those triumphs, with no losses, chalked up against him; Trout has collected three, losing one, and Newhouser has broken even, 2 and 2.

THE ARRIVAL OF the Yanks will start a procession of eastern clubs into Briggs Stadium.

Boston, Philadelphia and Washington—in the order named will follow New York into Detroit.

Another Tiger pitcher who is expected to see plenty of action in the future is Stubby Overmire. O'Neill has had the chunky little hurler working hard in the bullpen for the last 10 days and insists he will be in shape to open the Red Sox series here Saturday.

BENTON'S REMARKABLE comeback after a hitch in the navy is attributed to a fast-breaking curve, against which the opposition has been able to snag only 19 hits and one earned run in 36 innings.

Tiger fans who have seen him in action this year agree with the assertions of rival managers that: "The guy is really great."

Raffensberger Passes Physical

PHILADELPHIA — Ken Raffensberger, left handed pitcher for the Philadelphia Phillies, was accepted for military service at the Philadelphia induction center. Raffensberger, who will be 28 years old in August, is 6 and last 20 with the tail end Phillies in 1944. He lives in York, Pa.

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MAKE MAY 13 A DAY MOTHER WILL LONG REMEMBER

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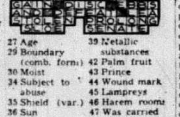
Chinese Official

Answer to Previous Puzzle



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HORIZONTAL
1 Pictured Chinese Minister of Finance, T. V. ——
6 Vinchsafe
10 Head covering
13 Girl's name
14 Edit
15 Collection of sayings
16 Arachnid
18 Roman emperor
19 Against
20 Solid (comb. form)
21 Roam
24 River (ab.)
25 Hawaiian food
26 Taut
27 Ermine
31 Symbol for iridium
32 Of the thing
33 Peels
37 Send in payment
40 Self
41 Individual
42 Imps
43 Redactor
44 Friends (Fr.)
45 Solicits
46 Pedestal part
53 Senator
54 Easy
56 Youth
57 Before
58 Lubricant
59 Compass point

VERTICAL
1 Sweet potatoes
2 Distinct part
3 Resident physician in hospital
4 Pair (ab.)
5 Cotton fabric
6 Dutch city
7 Swiss river
8 Flat-bottomed boat
9 Mold
10 Subject to abuse
11 Ingenious
12 Poker stake
17 Couple
22 Goddess of strength
23 Shortly
27 First woman
28 Mimic
29 Point
30 Age
31 Boundary (comb. form)
34 Moist
35 Shield (var.)
36 Sun
37 Measure of length
38 Wife of Geraint in Arthurian legend
39 Metallic substances
42 Palm fruit
43 Prince
44 Wound mark
45 Lamprey
46 Harem rooms
47 Was carried
50 High card
51 Narrow inlet
54 Fine grain (ab.)
55 Early English (ab.)

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5—Automobiles

WANTED—USED CARS. ANY make. Late models preferred. Louis Super Service, Chisholm at Thirteenth. Phone 934-J. (tf)

FOR SALE—1937 PONTIAC coach, cheap. Chester Dzesinski, Bolton, Mich. (39)

FOR SALE—1934 FORD COACH in good condition. Geo. Beatty, 1024 Washington. (38)

LOST—BLACK AND TAN BLUE Tick Hound. Ed Kunath, South Shore Road. (37)

FOR SALE—1932 CHEVROLET 1½-ton stake truck, or will trade for milk cows. Inquire Wm. Deer, 9 miles north of Curran and 3 miles south of Fred Collins store, on M-65. (39)

FOR SALE—1941 FORD TANKER truck with fully equipped bottle rack in very good condition. Inquire Roy Schepke, Rogers City. Phone 197. (39tc)

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6—Auto Service and Parts

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Good used trucks and tractors
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MULVENA TRUCK LINE
(38) (tu-

7—Business Directory

Fuller Brushes
Mops and Polishes
Floor waxes, moth preventatives
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Pressing cloths, insecticides
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Wm. A. McNeil
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(36)

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7—Business Directory

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Chisholm at Ninth Phone 53
(tues)

8—Employment

Painting
Decorating, wall washing
Guaranteed workmanship
T. A. Walker
215 Fourteenth Ave.
Phone 828.
(37)

WANTED—2 WOMEN FOR cleaning and general work, good wages, steady work. Fireside Inn, phone 730-R. (38)

WANTED—MIDDLE AGED lady for housekeeper. Convenient home. Inquire News office or see Ed Maciejewski, Alpena R. No. 2 one mile past Diamond's Point on US-23. (38tc)

HAVE OPENING FOR MAN AND woman for store work. Phil's Super Market. (39)

HELP WANTED—MEN AND women, no experience necessary. Position available, Nursing department, food department, housekeeping, maintenance. Call at the Sanitorium, Gaylord, or write to Michigan Civil Service Commission, Lansing, Mich. (38)

REFRIGERATION—NECESSARY in war or peace—Shortage of men for installation and repair work. The need for trained men to overhaul and install refrigeration and air conditioning equipment is urgent. If you are mechanically, inclined and have a fair education, look into this big pay trade. Learn how you can get this training in spare time or evenings. No interference with present job. For full information write at once, giving name, address, etc. Utilities Inst. Box S, care Alpena News. (38)

12—Farm Products

FOR SALE—COMPLETE LINE of Ferry Morse 1945 fresh garden seeds in bulk. Specials, Ferry's golden wax beans, 28c lb. Telephone peas, 23c lb. Golden Bantam corn, 24c lb. Onion sets, 25c lb. Jarmuzeski's Food Shop, phone 25. 701 N. Second. (tf)

FOR SALE ONE-ROW IRON Age potato planter, 1 mower, 5-foot cut. Ed Swan, 2 miles east, ½ mile south of Posen. (39)

7—Business Directory

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100	26.93	18.48	11.75	10.07
125	33.25	23.72	14.31	12.21
150	39.91	29.36	17.17	14.65
200	53.21	36.35	22.89	19.54
250	66.51	45.44	28.61	24.42
300	79.81	54.53	34.34	29.31

Loans made on cars, furniture or other security. Friends or relatives not necessary. Proportionate charges of 3% monthly on balances of $100.00 or less and 2% monthly on loans of more than $100.00. For convenience in case of sickness or accident, life insurance, free, on principal, no interest.
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10—Business Opportunities

PARTNER WITH $3,000 INVESTment wanted—Secured and returnable. Established business consisting of hotel bar, lot and building. Cost $150,000. Income estimated at $200,000 annually with clear profit of $60,000. Opportunity for gentleman or lady to participate active or passive with only $2,000 to $3,000 invested in the enterprise, 20 to 26 employees in bar, cabaret, restaurant and kitchen with wages ranging from $35 to $125 per week. Location Traverse Bay. Bar seils 20 cases per week. For personal interview during weekend of May 5 at which time I will personally be in Alpena write Lombardo, 1624 National Bank Building, Detroit 26, Michigan, CHerry 0920 Thomas. (39)

13a—Farm Equipment

FOR SALE—McCORMICK-Deering quack harrow, power corn binder, silo filler, Hammermill, '39 Chevrolet truck motor. Louis Barger, Spruce. (37)

FOR SALE—MASSIVE 11-piece dining room suite, six chairs and hostess chair, genuine leather seats and backs, large round table, sideboard, china cabinet and server; 2-piece parlor suite, two square dining room tables, metal bed, complete; many other things 123 S. Ninth. (37tc)

FOR SALE—416-EGG ELECTRIC incubator in good condition. Inquire John Zielaskowski, South Shore Drive. (38tc)

14—Livestock and Pets

FOR SALE—25 EWES WITH lambs by side. Earl Eagling, Salina Road, Hillman, Mich. (37)

FOR SALE—3 HEAD FEEDER cattle. Stanley Koss, 5 miles east of Posen. (39)

GOATS FOR SALE—GOOD milkers, buck sire, baby goat. Mrs. Hambleton, 3½ miles south on US-23. (39)

16—Merchandise

WANTED TO BUY—TAN WINdow shade for bay window. Phone 537-M. (37)

FOR SALE — COMBINATION wood and gas range. 1210 Washington. (39)

16—Merchandise

FOR SALE—DRY SLAB WOOD. Phone 913-J. (evOD39)

Come In
and sign your acreage contract for wax beans, $80 per ton, at my weighing station
Mable Jane Kennedy
Bolton, Mich.
(37)

FOR SALE—ONE COMPLETE 39-inch bed with Slumberland inner spring mattress, like new, 12x12 Armstrong linoleum rug, one high chair. Inquire Mrs. W. L. Adams, phone Posen 1F3. (37)

FOR SALE—2 ROCKERS, 1 DAY bed, 2-piece parlor suite, chiffon rose formal dress, size 11, never worn. Also rabbit hutch. 515 Chisholm. (37)

PIANO FOR SALE—REASONable. 113 W. Clark. (36)

FOR SALE—WHITE STEEL ICE box at 1129 Chisholm. (37)

WANT TO BUY—GIRLS' OR boys' bicycles, any size or condition. Also tricycles, reasonable prices. Also bike overhauling and painting done. Call 173XW. (38)

FOR SALE—9-PIECE SOLID oak dining room suite. Blue leatherette upholstered seats. Inquire 307 Charlotte. (38)

FOR SALE—9-PIECE MODERN dining room suite, small electric washer, 9x12 rug, also baby stroller and bassinette. In good condition. Inquire 919 S. Second. (39)

FOR SALE—NEW LAUNDRY stove. Frank Dzesinski, Bolton, Mich. (37)

22—Apartments for Rent

FOR RENT—4 ROOM FURNISHed apartment. 318 Maple. (37)

FOR RENT—5-ROOM APARTment, full bath, heat furnished. 323 Long Lake Ave. Apply between 12 and 6 P.M. (38)

23—Real Estate for Rent

FOR RENT — VICTORY GARdens, ready to plant, on Schneider farm, northeast Palm St. Inquire Fred Merrifis, 132 Tuttle, between 5 and 6:30 P.M. (39tc)

24—Real Estate for Sale

FOR SALE—10 ACRES OF land with house and barn in Silver City. Electricity. James Guyott, Silver City. (37)

25—Wanted—Real Estate

WANTED TO RENT — TWO TO 5-room furnished or partly furnished apartment or house. Call Frank LaMarre, phone 259-R. (38)

24—Real Estate for Sale

FOR SALE—80 ACRES GOOD hunting land, half swamp and is ½ mile from main highway. Joe R. Atkinson, Lachine. (37)

BRICK MODERN—JUST FIVE years old, in one of the newer sections of Alpena. Automatic oil fired hot water heat, copper plumbing, insulated and weather stripped. Storm doors and windows. Full dry basement with maid's room, toilet and built-in laundry tubs. First floor—small entrance hall and guest closet, living room with fireplace, small dining room, nice sized kitchen with breakfast nook. Beautiful bath, linen closet, two bedrooms with cedar lined closets. Second floor—guest bedroom, closet and two-piece bath. Ample storage space. Exceptionally light and clean. Not a large home but a comfortable one with practically no upkeep. Nice sized lot. Owner leaving town. For appointment phone 785 after 4 P.M. (39)

FOR SALE—4-ROOM LOG CAB-in with furniture. Finished inside with plywood. Large wooded lot. Electricity available. Located on Beaver Lake. $1800. A. F. Clewley, Spratt. (37)

Appointment of Administrator
State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Alpena. At a session of said Court, held in the Probate office, in the City of Alpena, in said County, on the 30th day of April A.D. 1945. Present, Hon. Charles W. McLean, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Ralph R. Rankin, deceased. Charles W. Rankin having filed in said Court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to William T. Rankin or to some other suitable person. It is ordered, that the 25th day of May A.D. 1945, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition. It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in The Alpena News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.
Charles W. McLean,
Judge of Probate.
A true copy.
Helen Colby, Register of Probate
(may1-8-15-22)

Sale or Mortgage of Real Estate
State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Alpena. At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Alpena in said County, on the 17th day of April A.D. 1945. Present, Hon. Charles W. McLean, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Mariette G. Fletcher, deceased. P. K. Fletcher and Harry Fletcher, guardians, having filed in said Court their petition, praying for license to sell at private sale the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described, and to approve and ratify a lease agreement and option. It is ordered, that the 11th day of May A.D. 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell at private sale the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted. It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in The Alpena News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.
Charles W. McLean,
Judge of Probate.
A true copy
Helen Colby, Register of Probate
(a17-21-28may1)

Notice of Hearing Claims Before Court
State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Alpena. In the matter of the estate of Salome Fiedorek, deceased. Notice is hereby given that two months from the 24th day of April A.D. 1945, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased and creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the City of Alpena, in said county, on or before the 25th day of June A.D. 1945, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Thursday, the 28th day of June A.D. 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.
Charles W. McLean,
Judge of Probate.
(a24may1-8-15)

Montmorency Co. 4-H Clubs Meet

ATLANTA—(Special) — Montmorency 4-H Club Achievement Day was held at the Atlanta high school on Wednesday. The exhibits were placed in the lower hall and were judged by Mrs Corrine White and M. H. Avery, state 4-H leaders. During the judging, Kay Hunt of the Conservation department showed movies relative to conservation. Following the movies the leaders of the various clubs met with Mrs White and Mr. Avery.

A potluck dinner was served to about 100 members and guests with Mrs. Mary Double as chairman and Mrs. Edna Valley and Mrs. Ruth Smith as her committee.

At 8 p.m. the program began with a play, "Cinderella and the Fairy Godmother," arranged by Mrs. Pearl Klein of the Edwards school. Nina May Thompson took the part of Cinderella with Lamord Stevens as the fairy godmother. During the play the style show was presented with music by Miss Betty Bogart. Claude Elmore, district club leader, acted as Prince Charming. Mrs. Margaret Travis led the 4-H girls' glee club in singing "Dreaming" and a "Song of the Open Country."

Montmorency county will be represented at Gaylord 4-H summer camp by Mavis Stevens and Nellie Nickerson. Peggy Bastow and Nina Mae Thompson will also go to Gaylord for their outstanding work to compete with groups from other clubs.

THE FOLLOWING girls were commended for their good workmanship, Marilyn Mowery, Carla Belle Briley, Pat Bastow, Dorothy Smith, Bonnie Lou Allen, Alene Stevens, Thelma Miller, Sue Bastow, Marilyn Double, Edna Thompson, Peggy Bastow and Nina Mae Thompson. In the style review the good posture girls were Marilyn Mowery, Pat Bastow, Bonnie Allen, Alene Stevens, Sue Bastow, Marilyn Double, Peggy Bastow, Nina Mae Thompson, Fay Squires, Arvita Leskum, and June Mowery.

CERTIFICATES OF AWARDS were presented to Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McElhinney, Mrs. George Oswald and Mrs. Claude Sherwood for five years of club leadership.

Mrs. Sherwood was the first person to start club work in Montmorency county. Next year will be Mrs. Ruth Smith's fifteenth year in club work and, the award for the leadership is a gold pin.

On School Board
Laurence Dice has been appointed to the vacancy on the Atlanta township school board. Carl Briley has taken the place of Bruce Cameron, who left for the armed forces in April. Laurence fills Briley's position.

Annual Meeting
The annual fire meeting for the field administration personnel of the department of conservation from Presque Isle, Montmorency and Alpena counties was held at Atlanta headquarters last week.

Born
To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker, a son, Arthur Harrison, on Apr. 29.

On Ration Board
Miss Louise Greenman has accepted a position in the ration board office.

Home Sold
Mr. and Mrs. Al Lehman came from Detroit at the week-end. They sold their home here to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ferguson and have bought the Liskum cabin to store their furniture.

Dr. O. A. Wendt and two friends of Marque City spent several days with the B. F. Valleys fishing on S. C. David Smith of Grand Lake spent several days with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Smith.—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Smith and family spent Sunday at Otsego Lake visiting Mr. and Mrs. James White.—Mr. and Mrs. Mileson Saunders celebrated their 46th wedding anniversary by driving over to Rose City and spending the day with their niece, Mrs. Ernest Hall and family.—Seaman George Newton arrived from Florida to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. George Newton. His sister, Alice, who works in Grand Rapids, came home with him for a few days' visit.—Mrs. Gurney Westcott has returned from University hospital after having physical checkup. She will submit to a major operation there in May.

LIVESTOCK AUCTION

Our regular Friday Livestock Auctions continue to grow

Feeder cattle are in large demand, and selling at high prices. Buyers for every grade of livestock

Bring in that odd piece of farm machinery or tools. We will sell them for you

Join the increasing number of satisfied patrons of this big sale

Another Shipment of
GOOD FARM HORSES
Consigned by Wessel Bros. offered at auction at our sale this Friday, 1 P.M.

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ALLEY OOP

BY V. T. HAMLIN

THE DINOSAUR CAME RIGHT OUT OF THAT SCREEN AND GRABBED HIM!
M'BOY! THE SCREEN IS PERFECTLY SOLID! IT JUST COULDN'T HAVE HAPPENED!
BUT IT DID! WE SAW IT!
WELL, I HAVE TO SAVE HIM!
M'BOY! NOW WE KNOW WHO KNEW HOW TO OPERATE THAT INFERNAL GADGET!
LOOK! WE CAN'T JUST STAND HERE LOOKIN' AT EACH OTHER... WE GOTTA DO SUMPIN!

RED RYDER

BY FRED HARMAN

TIP-E-E! BUST-UM HIM AGAIN, RED RYDER!
LOOK OUT, RED! HE'S DRAWING A GUN!
I'LL LEND A HAND IN THIS--- NOBODY'S FIGHTIN' MY BATTLES!
I'M WARNIN' YOU, DUCHESS! I DON'T LIKE COMPETITION IN MY HAULIN' BUSINESS!
I DON'T SCARE EASY!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

BY MERRILL BLOSSER

WHAT DID I DO TO MAKE THEM TOSS HEN FRUIT AT ME?
YOU GOT THE BAD HEAD-- AND IT MADE A SWELL TARGET!
YOU TRIED TO TELL ME HOW I SHOULD PLAY MY SAX--NOW, I'VE GOT A SUGGESTION!
IF YOU'RE GONNA SING, YOU SHOULD HAVE THIS!
BUT I CAN'T PLAY A VIOLIN!
I KNOW. BUT IF YOU'RE THE TARGET FOR TONIGHT I THOUGHT YOU MIGHT LIKE TO DEFEND YOURSELF!

AXIS Liquidation CELEBRATION

WAR HAS ENDED IN EUROPE!

"EVEN WARS MUST END" to The People of Europe This Must Have Seemed Almost Impossibility at Times . . . . . Yet They Never Lost Hope In Victory for The United Nations.

War Has Ended In Europe Church Bells Ring Out, The Lights are Once More Shining from The Windows— Boys are Marching Home Let Us Follow The Example of These People and Keep Faith with Our Boys Who are Fighting So Gallantly on The Pacific Front So That Complete Victory Will Soon Be Ours to Have and to Hold.

Now! We are On Our Way to Tokyo

THERE'S STILL A LOT OF FIGHTING TO BE DONE—THERE IS STILL A LOT OF EQUIPMENT TO BUY—IT ALL TAKES MONEY AND A LOT OF IT—LET'S KEEP ON BUYING WAR BONDS—LET'S FINISH THE JOB IN A HURRY

This Is A Time to Celebrate But No Time to Relax

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